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BIRTHS.

GALLEN—August 13, 1926, at 40 Upper Fitzwilliam street, Dublin, to Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Gallen, Black Hall, Balbriggan, a son.

SPEARES—August 17, 1926, to Dr. and Mrs. Speares, 38 Merrion square, Dublin, a daughter.

MARRIAGES.

MARSDEN and JONES—August 4, 1926, at St. Paul's Church, Glenageary, by Rev. E. J. Devlin, M.A., assisted by Rev. J. M. Cullimore, B.D., John Reginald, younger son of the late J. W. Marsden and of Mrs. Marsden, Kingstown, to Catherine, elder daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Owen Jones, 14 Spencer Villas, Glenageary.

ROBINSON and FENNELL—August 11, 1926, at Timolin Church, by the Rev. Theodore Robinson (father of the bridegroom), assisted by the Rev. J. Stuart Long, Incumbent, Captain W. P. A. Robinson, M.C., R.A., elder son of the Rev. Theodore and Mrs. Robinson, The Vicarage, Highgate, to Isabel Susan, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Fennell, Burtown House, County Kildare.

SILVER WEDDING.

WILSON and GOODLIFF—August 19, 1901, at Clontarf Presbyterian Church, by the Rev. J. L. Morrow, M.A., James, eldest son of Alexander Wilson, Ayrshire, to Jeanie, youngest daughter of the late John Goodliff, Dublin. Present address—83 Philipsburgh avenue, Fairview, Dublin.

DEATHS.

ANNOUNCEMENTS received late for insertion in this column will be found on Page 6.

DOLAN—August 17, 1926, Peter, Kilternan, County Dublin, beloved and only son of the late Bryan Dolan. Deeply regretted by his sorrowing wife and a large circle of friends. Sacred Heart of Jesus, have mercy on his soul. R.I.P. Funeral at 4 o'clock to-morrow (Friday) to Glencullen Cemetery.

EARLE—August 18, 1926, at her residence, 115 Upper Leeson street, Dublin, Cecilia Earle, last surviving child of the late George Earle, of Ballynahoun, County Wexford. "Thy will be done." Funeral (private) to-morrow (Friday), by motor, arriving Kilnamagh, County Wexford, 2 p.m.

ENNIS—August 17, 1926, Frances L., youngest surviving daughter of the late Edward Thomas and Sarah Mary Ennis, of Kimmage Mills, Kimmage. Funeral private.

GOOLD—August 17, 1926, at his residence, 34 Bachelor's Walk, Lisburn, John Goold, ex-Head Constable, R.U.C., dearly-beloved husband of Margaret Goold. Deeply regretted. Funeral from above address to Lisburn Cemetery to-morrow at 3 p.m.

HARLEY—August 18, 1926, at Churchill House, Kilmainham, Mary Harley, widow of the late Dr. Robert William Harley, of Pembroke road, Dublin. Funeral private.

O'BYRNE—August 18, 1926, at Meath Hospital, after operation, Susan, dearly-loved daughter of the late Patrick O'Byrne, of Rathdangan, County Wicklow. R.I.P. Funeral from St. Kevin's, Harrington street, this (Thursday) morning, after 10 o'clock Mass.

PUGH—August 17, 1926, at 8 Clayton terrace, Chapelizod, Thomas Pugh, aged 75 years, to the inexpressible grief of his sorrowing wife and family. Deeply and deservedly loved. R.I.P. Funeral (private) to Glasnevin to-morrow (Friday). Remains will be removed to R.C. Church, Chapelizod, at 7 p.m. to-day (Thursday). No flowers.

SANDES—On Monday, August 16, 1926, after a short illness, Agnes Dorothea, of 31 Upper Bedford place, London, and Lansdowne House, Clapham road, London, youngest daughter of the late John Sandes. R.I.P. Requiem Mass and funeral at 11 a.m. on Saturday, 21st inst., at St. Mary Magdalene, Mortlake. Colonial papers please copy.

SINCLAIR—August 17, 1926, at 15 Morehampton road, Dublin, William Sinclair, in his 74th year. Funeral leaving this (Thursday) morning at 10.30 for Mount Jerome, 11 o'clock.

ACKNOWLEDGMENT.

Mrs. Fox and family, Glencullen, wish to return sincere thanks to all kind friends for letters, telegrams, and floral tributes sent in their recent sad bereavement, and trust they will accept this acknowledgment.

MONTH'S MIND SOLEMN REQUIEM OFFICE.

FOLEY—The Month's Mind Solemn Requiem Office for the repose of the soul of the late Most Rev. P. Foley, D.D., Bishop of Kildare and Leighlin, will be held in the Cathedral, Carlow, on Wednesday, 25th inst., at 12 o'clock (summer time). R.I.P.

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CHEMIST'S Junior Assistant required, country town, near Dublin; state wages (outdoor), age, references. Address "Z 4113, Assistant," this office. 16 E

CHEMIST'S Assistant would like to hear of part time in city the 1st September. Address "Z 4181, Chemist," this office. 17 D

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LOCUM required (qualified) for 1 month, early September.—Suche, Chemist, Kingstown. 16 E

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YOUNG Lady, R.C., wishes post as Nursery Governess; first lessons; good needlewoman.—X. Y. Z., Irish Times Branch Office, Kingstown. 17 F

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AGENT FOR GOVERNESSES AND SCHOOLS Miss Bellingham Todd, 5 Grafton street, Dublin. Advises Parents and Managers. Tel. No. 5258. T

WANTED immediately, R.C. Nursery Governess to Donnybrook to teach and mind two children, ages 9 and 3½ years; must be good needlewoman; good wages given to competent girl; long references and interview essential. Reply P 625, this office. 14 D

WANTED, experienced Protestant Nursery Governess, three children, 2 to 7 years; teach first lessons; musical; good needlewoman; state age, references; £40-£45. Address "Z 4129, Governess," this office. 16 E

WANTED, Governess (R.C.) to teach four children; French and Irish essential, good music. Applicants to state experience, enclose copies of reference, and state salary expected. Address "Z 4182, Governess," this office. 17 F

WANTED for the County Donegal, a respectable R.C. Girl to teach boy (7 years) first lessons, and make herself generally useful. Address "Z 4184, Girl," this office. 17 D

WANTED, Nursery Governess (Protestant), from 2.30 till 8 o'clock, teach first lessons to girl, five years, and help with older children; Terenure district; good needlewoman; state age, copy references.—P 902, this office. 18 E

WANTED, Teacher of International Law; must have distinctions in the subject.—207, Irish Times Branch Office, Bray.

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A LADY, young, fully trained and experienced in Secretarial work, desires post in School, or with Club or Society (charitable preferred); whole or part time; highly recommended. Address "Z 4074, Lady," this office. 14 D

BOOKKEEPING, Typewriting, Correspondence—Young Lady open for engagement; highly recommended.—P 931, this office. 18 A

COMPTOMETER Operator (Female), ten years experience, presently employed, seeks an engagement; city preferred.—P 894, this office. 18 A

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GIRL, 25 years, R.C., seeks post as superior Help or Mother's Help; highest references; small salary. Address "Z 4196, Girl," this office.

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LADY desires post, Lady Companion, Housekeeper, or Mother's Help.—10, Winnett's, Dalkey. 16 D

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LADY desires position Companion Help; capable, energetic, understands plain cooking; highest testimonials. Address "Z 4219, Lady," this office.

PROTESTANT Lady wishes post Lady Help; light duties; plain cook; could housekeep; recommended. Address "Z 4165, Lady," this office. 17 F

SUBMARINE Diver seeks employment; own gear; any under water work. Wire reply, Denison, c/o Hewson, Listowel. 17 E

TYPIST desires position; 10 years' experience in America; speedy and accurate; moderate salary.—P 806, this office. 17 D

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VIOLINIST (Leader) seeks engagement in city, all round experience, also expert dance leader; good offers only. Address "Z 4216, Violinist," this office. 18 E

WELL educated Girl wishes to hear of post as Residential Secretary; highest references. Address "Z 4145, Girl," this office. 17 F

YOUNG Lady, presently engaged, desires change; Bar and Grocery; fifteen years' experience.—P 885, this office.

YOUNG Lady, well educated, wishes situation as Bookkeeper or Shorthand Typist (certified); highest references.—R O 1087, Irish Times Branch Office, Rathmines.

YOUNG Lady wishes post Housekeeper or Companion Help; country preferred.—54, Irish Times Branch Office, Baggot street Bridge. 18 A

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MAJOR Lakin wishes to thank all applicants for his Stablemen's places, which are now filled.

WANTED, capable Man to act as Herd and do Farm Work; good wages and house to suitable man.—P 629, this office. 15 D

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UNDER Steward Wanted for nobleman's estate; Protestant; experience not absolutely necessary.—P 815, this office. 17 F

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BOY, 16, seeks employment as Porter, Page or Housework.—Thomas O'Grady, Mountmellick. 15 D

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GENERAL Man, yard, gardening, milk; highest references.—W. C., Ashton Park, Monkstown avenue. 16 E

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GENERAL Man, very respectable, young, go to England; care cow, poultry, Ford. Address "Z 4224, Man," this office. 18 E

HERD, Shepherd, life experience, cattle, sheep, all branches; married; C.I.; age 42; most highly recommended. Address "Z 4189, Herd," this office. 18 A

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MARRIED Man wants situation, General Man; good milker, garden experience; well recommended.—M. Cox, Brannoxtown, Trim, Co. Meath. 16 E

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YOUNG Man, 24, T.T., experiences of housework and nursing, wishes to hear of vacancy; references.—P 927, this office. 18 A

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GARDENER; thorough knowledge of his business in all branches; married, one child. Address "Z 4186, Gardener," this office. 17 D

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WORKING Gardener, experienced, all branches; weekly or daily; Protestant; good references.—No. 33, Irish Times Branch Office, Kingstown. 17 F

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ALL class of good Servants required for England. Apply Mrs. Bull, 6 Carlton terrace, Hoylake, Cheshire. 14 D

A CLEAN, tidy Girl required, Ranelagh district (must live near); morning Housework, 8.45 to 1; 10/- weekly; no meals.—P 972, this office.

WORKING Housekeeper Wanted for quiet country place; good milker, fowl; two in family; state wages.—P 839, this office. 17 D

WANTED, superior Girl, to train by parlourmaid, housekeeper, gentleman's house (Dublin); must be tall; knowledge of plain cooking and sewing necessary; £22, rising to £26; state age, height, etc.—P 982, this office. 18 A

YOUNG Girl Wanted daily for Housework, mornings.—50 Lower Leeson street.

COOKS AND DAIRYMAIDS WANTED.

A COOK for one lady Kildare, £65-£70; Kitchenmaid, £30.—P 929, this office.

BRAY—Wanted young Cook General, good plain cook; H. Parlourmaid kept; interview necessary. Send copies—631, Wilde's Office, Bray. 17 D

COOK General required, willing to do washing; house parlourmaid kept; two in family; good references necessary.—Miss Dudgeon, The Cottage, Foxrock. 18 E

EXPERIENCED young R.C. Cook or Cook General wanted, city, 24th; other maids kept; send copies; state age and wages.—P 620, this office. 14 D

ENGLAND—Wanted experienced Cook General, also Nurse, two children; R.C. with P.P. reference essential; would suit two friends or sisters; fare after six months. Apply, stating experience, age, wages wanted, to R., 116 Egerton street, Oldham, Lancs. 17 D

EXPERIENCED Cook Wanted for September; interview Dublin; travel with lady to England; state age, religion, and wages; also a good Maid-Housemaid; £30 and washing. Address "Z 4191, Cook," this office. 18 A

GOOD Cook Wanted for R.C. family, modern house, labour saving devices; good outings; good references essential. Apply Mrs. Cuffe, Wyke Mark, near Winchester, Hants. 16 D

GOOD Cook for England; state age and wages; near R.C. church; fare paid.—Mrs. Thompson, Walton Elm, Sturminster, Newton. 17 E

NOTICE.

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LADY returning London beginning September requires intelligent young Girl to train as Cook General; young house parlourmaid kept; good home; every consideration given; fare paid; excellent references required. Mrs. Hugh Culverwell, The Hut, Howth. Dublin.

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WANTED, good, plain Singlehanded Cook or Cook General small dairy; must have good references. Mrs. Lambert, Dysart More, New Ross. 14 D

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WANTED, young Cook General; willing to go England; must be highly recommended. Address "Z 4167, Cook General," this office. 17 F

WANTED, respectable Assistant Cook, middleaged, for Institution. Address "Z 4203, Cook," this office.

WANTED, Shankill, Cook General; good cooking essential; two in family; one other maid kept; small washing; usual outings; good wages. Apply, enclosing copies, Rosedale, Shankill.

GENERALS WANTED.

A SMART General Wanted (R.C.) where cook is kept; must be well recommended, able to do plain cooking, small washing; personal interview; wages £26 0s. 0d. a year.—Cape Ard, Foxrock. 18 A

A YOUNG General Wanted for Killiney; small family. Apply Mrs. Harris, Wilmount, Killiney.

EXPERIENCED, superior General; must be good cook; some laundry, small dairy; highest references essential.—P 977, this office.

EXPERIENCED young General Wanted, Rathmines, end of August, small family; plain cooking and washing. Send copies references, state age and wages expected, to "Z 4214, General," this office. 18 X

GOOD General Wanted; must have experience; good wages; small washing.—Rockfell, Baily, Howth. 17 D

GENERAL Servant Wanted, at least 3 years in last place. Apply, with copies of references and state wages required, to Mrs. Johnston, Bank of Ireland, Castleblayney. 17 D

GENERAL Wanted; family three; small washing; good home.—P 962, this office. 18 E

GENERAL Wanted, indoor (Protestant for preference) of good appearance and must be well recommended; country girl preferred.—P 891, this office.

GENERAL Wanted, cook, wash; family two.—75 St. Lawrence road, Clontarf. 18 E

GENERAL Wanted, Carrickmines, middle September; energetic, clean; ride bicycle; plain cooking, small washing; family three; good wages.—P 961, this office. 18 A

STRONG General, over 18; country girl preferred; South side; wages £20.—P 840, this office. 17 D

WANTED, General; steady, reliable person; good plain cook, good houseworker, clean, early riser; good references essential; 2 in family; small washing; South side, Ranelagh; good wages to suitable person. Address "Z 4154, General," this office. 17 F

WANTED, experienced General, mid-September; all duties; family 3. Send copies, age, Mrs. Briggs, 7 Winterstoke Gardens, Mill Hill, London, N.W.7. 17 D

WANTED, General, between 30 and 40, for suburbs; three in family; must be good cook, understand all duties, and well recommended; send references.—P 774, this office. 17 F

WANTED, experienced General.—"Shanavaun," Mount Anville road, Dundrum, Co. Dublin. 17 F

WANTED, General; must be well recommended; good wages.—20 Grosvenor road. 17 D

WANTED, September, for Rathgar, smart young General; all duties; good references essential.—R O 1082, Irish Times Branch Office, Rathmines. 17 D

HOUSE AND PARLOURMAID WANTED.

HOUSE Parlourmaid Wanted, Pembroke district; housemaid kept; good wages.—P 895, this office. 18 E

WANTED for Ailesbury road, young girl as House Parlourmaid, with sewing; must be good needlewoman; good wages. Address "Z 4119 House Parlourmaid," this office. 16 E

WANTED, experienced House Parlourmaid, also good Cook General. Apply before 11 o'clock or after 8 o'clock, or by letter, Mrs. Kelly, Arnoldville, Monkstown. 15 D

WANTED, experienced House Parlourmaid, temporary, September 1st, for one month.—J 59, Irish Times Branch Office, Kingstown. 15 D

WANTED, good, active Parlourmaid; valet, carve; country, near Dublin.—Mrs. Barker, Ladies' Imperial Club, Dover street, London. 16 E

WANTED immediately, thoroughly experienced Upper Housemaid of two; good needlewoman. Also good Second Housemaid; some experience necessary; country. Particulars Mrs. More O'Ferrall, Kildangan, Monasterevan, Co. Kildare. 16 D

WANTED, Head Housemaid; good needlewoman; age 30 to 40; also Dairymaid, who will undertake laundry, with help; good wages given. Write, full particulars, Lady D. B., Pollacton, Carlow. 17 D

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MESSRS. GANLY'S AUTUMN SHEEP SALES.

The second auction of sheep for the present season was successfully conducted by Messrs. Ganly Sons and Co. yesterday at the Dublin Cattle Market, this being one of the series of their 67th annual autumn sales. Upwards of 2,800 sheep and lambs were offered. There was again a good attendance of buyers, and, although bidding appeared to be rather slow at the start, the few lots which were passed under the hammer were placed at satisfactory prices afterwards, and a good clearance was effected, except for a few lots of middling and inferior classes. H. D'E. Strevens's Oxford down ewes realised from 68/- to 58/-; Galway ewes brought from 61/- to 54/-; Cheviot and Wicklow mountain ewes made 53/- to 47/-; hornies from 27/- to 18/-; 160 choice Suffolk cross lambs, from the Marquis of Waterford's estate, made 42/- to 40/-; other lots from 40/- to 36/-. Messrs. Ganly's next auction will be held on next Wednesday, August 25th.

WOMAN AND HER HOME.

THE DRAMATIC POWER OF THE TRAM.

THE tram is almost full. One goes inside, and the first looks of curiosity are now mixed with looks of stinging indifference as one lurches backwards and forwards looking in vain for one's penny.

"Seat for another down there!" says the conductor. (Indeed, there is a legend affixed that reads, "To seat twenty-five.") Though one disagrees profoundly with the conductor on what constitutes a seat, still one is obliged to assume a sitting posture in the place indicated. One's neighbour gets out at the next stop and one sits back in comparative comfort. Now a large lady looms in the door: "Seat for another down there," says the conductor. One's next emotion is related to a realisation that the world has come to an end, and that someone in the tram has called on the mountains to fall upon us and cover us. That is all right for them. Personally, one does not feel either sufficiently glorified in the spirit or dead in the flesh, so one fights against it, and at first it would seem in vain. The mountain has gravity and a number of other natural forces on its side. But one has faith, and in the end faith conquers the mountain.

One emerges, breathless, flattened, but still alive. With a sigh of relief one reaches out for the lost strap, and one is once again jolted backwards and forwards. One catches sight of a sheepish face looking at one reproachfully. It is saying with its dull eyes: "What is wrong? Am I not good enough for you as a neighbour?" One realises that one is now looking down on the mountain that had threatened to crush one.

There is a little more room on the opposite side. This time one's neighbour is a thin gentleman. He has not got his ticket yet, and three of his children have gone on top. The conductor comes down the steps. "Tickets, please!" One now feels a vaguely uncomfortable sensation in the shoulder, followed by a definite blow on the chin. The gentleman is rooting in his pocket for his money, and as he dives again and again to bring up the right amount his elbow flies upwards to one's chin.

Everyone knows the man who sits sideways in the tram and him who shakes out his umbrella. One remembers, too, occasions when the twenty-five are seated and two recognise each other. Thanking and apologising, they change seats. A conversation begins. How annoying it is if one of the ladies replies what she is going to do this summer in too low a voice to be heard! One gloats over that conversation as much as one does over any conversation on the stage; for the tram has that curious power of dramatising the people in it.

A poet told me once that he hated the tram because it made everyone the same—he did not like the uniformity of it. He cannot have been in the Dalkey tram when a lady had to call a gentleman's attention three times to the fact that his umbrella was on fire before he condescended to listen to her. At last he cast his eyes into the folds, where he saw the match he had thrown away some seconds before still burning.

The tram may not please the poet—it is the harvest of the realist. M. LYSTER.

COLOURS OF CLOTHES IN THE MIDDLE AGES.

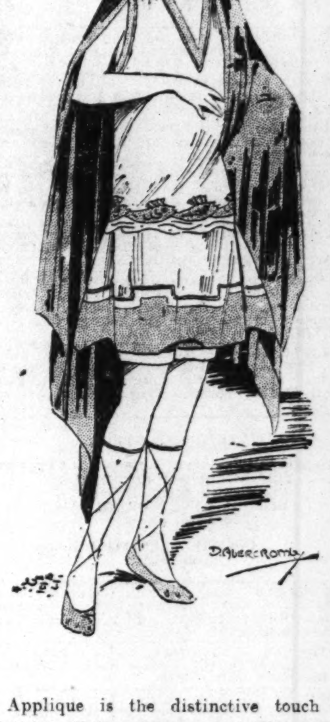
WE know from the portraits and pictures in illuminated missals that have come down to us from mediæval times that our ancestors, men as well as women, revelled in bright colours. Yet their clothes were never gaudy, for the colours, though bright, were not pure—e.g., the scarlet had a touch of yellow, the pink of blue or salmon, while the yellow was either reddish or greenish or had a tinge of grey or brown.

Chaucer and his contemporaries describe the clothes of their characters minutely, nearly always giving us their colour, material and pattern, and frequently the motto on the border. People in those days evidently regarded a man's dress as a sign of his character, and were in the habit of scrutinising it; otherwise the fashion of embroidering mottoes on borders would never have come in, for a motto would have been useless if it were never read. But we find it hard to identify the colours so minutely described. "Russet," "murrey" and "vair" are very frequently mentioned. "Russet," which was the usual colour of the leather jerkins, was almost certainly reddish; for we know that russet apples were then called "leather-coats."

"Murrey" is derived from the French murier (mulberry tree), and seems to have been sometimes lilac, sometimes red, and sometimes dark purple; probably there were as many shades of this colour as the mulberry passes through on the tree.

"Eyes of vair" are very often praised in mediæval poetry, and puzzled many. We know now that "vair" was the name of the fur of the grey squirrel; so "eyes of vair" were the soft grey eyes so common in England, and possibly the lashes may have been considered to give a furry softness to the glance. Chaucer says that the prioress's eyes were "as grey as glass" (glass was really almost grey then), and Mr. Ralston believes that, owing to a confusion between "vair" (fur) and "verre" (glass), both pronounced in the same way, the story of Cinderella's glass slipper has arisen. Those of our ancestors who could afford it dressed well, the men at least as gaily as the women. What would they have thought of the sombre attire of the former nowadays?

We have a far greater variety of materials and colours than they had, yet it is very doubtful whether any of us dress so picturesquely. H. D. CROFTON.



Applique is the distinctive touch in Bathing Suits this season. The model sketched is in bright Sea Green Silk, with orange goldfish and bordering.

ALUMINIUM WARE.

THE increased popularity of aluminium ware is due, no doubt, to its many superior advantages in the home. This metal is made from Bauxite, a clay found at Les Baux, near Arles. It somewhat resembles silver, and is exceedingly light.

The housewife of to-day is glad to dispense with iron pots, pans, and other necessary articles used in the kitchen, and to put in their place those made of aluminium.

Aluminium does not chip or rust and it is not stained by fruit or acids. If properly cared for this metal will retain its bright appearance for a great length of time.

It is most important that soda should never be used in the water to wash aluminium, as soda causes it to blacken. Warm water and soap will usually leave it quite clean, or, if necessary, silver sand may be employed for cleansing articles both inside and out.

Though aluminium ware may be found more expensive to purchase than the old-fashioned iron, it is really more economical in the finish, as aluminium will remain sound for a much longer period. Again, aluminium is a great conductor of heat, therefore, quicker cooking can be carried on and less fuel is required to cook food.

All utensils used in the kitchen are now obtainable in aluminium. Teapots are specially popular; they can be bought in various sizes, fitted with Elo handle and knob. These handles are non-conductors of heat, and never lose their nice appearance.

A graduated measure, made in quart and pint sizes, is invaluable to the cook, as is a funnel, made from stout aluminium, grooved and fitted with hanging loop. It is needed for various jobs in the house.

The life of aluminium utensils will be found to be lengthened considerably if they are thoroughly dried before putting away. P.P.

PRODUCE AND FOOD MARKETS.

CATTLE.

EDINBURGH.—Good show of store sheep, but slow trade. Half-bred ewe lambs to 65/-, half-bred wedder lambs to 47/6, Oxford cross lambs to 46/-. Dull sale for cattle; black polled bullocks to £24 10/-, coloured to £22, stirks to £17 10/-, Cumberland cows to £35 10/-.

WAKEFIELD.—Lighter show cattle; quiet trade. Small hog sheep 14d. per lb., medium 13d., large 11d. to 1/, ewes 8d. to 9d., tups 6d., lambs 14d. to 15d.; best English beef 10d to 10½d. per lb., secondary 9d. to 10d., others 7½d. to 8½d., Irish cattle 9d. to 10d. Beasts 289, sheep 1,173.

GLASGOW.—Large numbers of fat cattle forward at market, but quality not up to late standard; outstanding quality bullocks and heifers scarce and dear, 65/- to 70/-; secondary sorts very much cheaper, 47/- per cwt. upwards. Active demand all classes sheep, which were in good supply; half-bred ewes to 58/-, blackfaced to 47/6, Down lambs to 72/-.

GRAIN.

FLOATING GRAIN CARGOES.—BALTIC— WHEAT—Cargo market dull and prices tended in buyers' favour; No. 1 Northern Manitoba Aug. sellers 58/6, Oct.-Nov. 55/-, No. 2 Aug. 57/-, white Pacific afloat 54/-, Aug.-Sept. 52/-, No. 2 hard winter afloat 52/3, Aug. 52/6, Sept. 52/3, Australian afloat 57/-, Barusso 61lbs. afloat 54/6, and new Jan.-Feb. 63lbs. 53/3. Parcels easier; No. 1 Northern Manitoba Aug. sellers 57/6, Oct.-Nov. 53/3, No. 2 hard winter Aug. 51/6 paid, Australian afloat sellers 57/-, and choice white Karachi afloat 56/6 per 480lbs. MAIZE barely steady, with limited inquiries; Plate steamers on passage sellers 31/- to 31/9, loading 31/-, Aug.-Sept. to Nov.-Dec. 30/9, Dan.-Gal.-Fox Aug.-Sept. 32/6, Bessarabian ditto 32/6. Parcels weaker; Plate July-Aug. sold 30/1½, and Aug.-Sept. and Sept.-Oct. 30/- per 480lbs. BARLEY nominally unaltered for both cargoes and parcels in absence of demand. OATS quiet; Plate f.a.q. loading sellers 21/-, Aug.-Sept. 20/9, No. 2 Canadian Western Aug. 25/9, No. 3 ditto Aug. 23/9, No. 2 white clipped American Aug. 22/6, and Chilian Aug.-Sept. 21/6 per 320lbs.

MARK LANE CORN.—Quiet conditions prevailed at the mid-weekly market, but price changes unimportant. WHEAT tends easier; No. 1 Northern Manitoba quoted 61/3, No. 2 ditto 59/9, No. 2 hard winter 56/-, choice white Karachi 60/-, all ex ship per 496lbs.; English new 12/10 to 13/- per 112lbs. FLOUR quiet; London standard grade 50/-, town whites 51/-, patents 52/- to 53/- per sack delivered in the Home Counties, with 6d. to 1/- per sack less for deliveries in the London districts. Of imported, Manitoba patents range from 46/- to 48/6, Minneapolis 47/- to 49/-, Australian 44/- to 44/6 per 280lbs. MAIZE quiet; Plate to be landed 34/3, ditto ex ship 32/6; Bessarabian ex ship to arrive 32/9, No. 2 white flat African landed 37/- per 480lbs. BARLEY steady; Californian 36/- to 47/-, Chilean Chevalier 50/- to 57/-, ditto brewing 35/6 to 48/-, Australian Chevalier 45/- to 47/- ex store, Smyrna 35/- to 48/- ex ship per 448lbs., No. 3 Canadian Western ex ship 29/3, Russian landed 30/- per 400lbs.; English new 10/- to 15/- per 112lbs. OATS slow; La Plata ex ship 22/9, landed 23/6, No. 2 Canadian Western ex ship 27/-, landed 28/-; No. 2 Canadian feed ex ship 23/6, landed 24/6, Chilian tawny ex ship 22/9, American 38lbs. ex ship 22/9, landed 24/6; mixed feed ex ship 19/6, landed 20/9 per 320lbs.; English new 8/6 to 9/4 per 112lbs. MILLERS' OFFALS slow; broad bran 6/6, middlings 7/6, fine ditto 9/-, bags included ex mill; feed oatmeal 7/9, light oats 6/9, ground oats 12/- per cwt f.o.r. OATMEAL quiet, at the recent decline; London made flaked 17/-, rolled oats 16/-, medium, also fine cut, 16/-; coarse, also medium pinhead, 16/- ex mill per cwt. London Arrivals:—English—Malt, 1,223 qrs.; foreign—wheat 106,980, barley 2,250, oats 7,490, maize 18,740, beans 190, peas 1,310 qrs.; flour 10,160 sacks.

LIVERPOOL.—WHEAT—Winnipeg and Chicago markets finished worse than expected, and forward deliveries of wheat here showed a fair decline at the commencement of operations. Then a slight recovery took place and prices afterwards fluctuated moderately, according to the offerings, but with encouraging late afternoon cables final rates were about the best and marked only a moderate decline on the day. C.i.f. parcels No. 2 hard winter August sold at 51/7½, No. 2 garlicky red winter 14th August 48/- to Liverpool, and No. 2 hard winter nearly due 52/10½, 25th August 51/10½, and No. 2 garlicky red winter on passage 47/10½ per quarter to Manchester. C.i.f. parcels MAIZE River Plate afloat sold at 30/4½ to 31/-, August-September and September-October 30/3 per quarter. Wheat on the spot was quiet, without material alteration in values. Maize spot parcels steady at 7/2¼ to 7/3 per cental for River Plate. FLOUR quiet at about late rates. Graded wheat futures opened ½d. per cental lower, recovered ½d., then fluctuated moderately and closed steady at only ½d. per cental under last night.

GLASGOW.—Wheat slightly easier in all positions. No. 2 Manitobas 55/6 first half September. Maize quiet, with values unchanged. Barley steady, with slow sale. Oats quiet; poor demand for all sorts. Flour unchanged, with a quiet tendency for home and imported grades.

PROVISIONS.

LIVERPOOL.—Irish, Danish and Canadian BACON again rules firm at late rates with the demand fully equal to supplies. American selections of bacon here also firm at the recent advance, supplies generally being still limited, while a fair inquiry still continues to be experienced for Cumberlands, backs and bellies. HAMS scarce and firm with a fair demand at late extreme currencies. Shoulders steady for New Yorks and squares, with picnics still scarce and nominal. LARD on the spot, following higher c.i.f. quotations, is raised 6d.; prime steam now held at 77/6 to 78/6 and American refined 77/6 to 79/6 per cwt., but the demand is again of only a moderate character. CHEESE quiet, and Canadian white reduced 1/- to 85/- to 89/- per cwt. BUTTER continues in only moderate request, and Irish creameries are 1/- lower at 161/- to 165/- per cwt. EGGS steady at 15/6 to 17/6 per 120 for Irish fresh hen, 12/9 to 13/- duck, and 11/- to 11/6 for Polish.

LONDON CENTRAL MEAT (Smithfield).—Supplies to market yesterday 1,846 tons, made up as follows: 350 tons British and Irish produce and 1,496 tons imported. BEEF—Moderate fresh-killed supplies met slow trade; chilled supplies in excess of demand and prices weakened. Scotch short sides 7/- to 8/-, English long sides 5/4 to 6/-, States and Canadian (Birkenhead-killed) 5/4 to 5/10, Australian hindquarters frozen 3/4 to 3/8, do. crops frozen 2/4 to 2/6, Argentine hindquarters 3/8 to 3/10, do. hindquarters chilled 4/6 to 5/-, do. forequarters chilled 2/4 to 2/8, Uruguayan hindquarters chilled 4/4, do. forequarters 2/3 to 2/4. MUTTON—Fresh-killed supplies ample for requirements at about late rates. Scotch 6/4 to 7/4, English 5/4 to 6/8, do. ewes 3/4 to 4/-, New Zealand wethers 3/10 to 5/-, do. ewes 2/8 to 3/2, Australian wethers 2/8 to 3/2. LAMB—Scotch 7/- to 8/-, do. hill, 6/4 to 8/-, English 6/8 to 8/-, Irish 6/8 to 7/8, New Zealand 5/8 to 6/6, Australian 5/- to 5/8. PORK—Fair supplies in quiet request at fair prices. English best under 10st. 8/4 to 8/10, do. 10st. to 16st. 8/- to 8/4, do. 15st. to 20st. 7/8 to 8/-, do. over 20st. 7/4 to 7/8, frozen 6/8 to 7/10. VEAL—Supplies sufficient for dull trade at less money. English fat 6/4 to 8/8, do. bobbies 5/- to 6/-. EGGS—Light supply of new laid in generally quiet demand at about late rates. Per 120, English new laid grade 1 19/- to 20/-, grade 2 16/6 to 17/-, Irish extra selected 16lbs. 17/- to 18/6, selected 15lbs. 16/- to 16/6, Danish 15½-16lbs. 16/6 to 17/-, 18lbs. 18/6 to 19/-, Dutch brown 18/- to 19/-, mixed 16/6 to 17/-, ducks 14/6 to 15/-, Belgian 16/- to 16/6, French brown 16/6 to 17/6, Normandy 15/- to 16/-, Polish blues 11/- to 12/-, reds 10/- to 10/6, Chinese greens 13/3 to 13/6, violets 12/3 to 12/6, blacks 10/9 to 11/-.

DUBLIN VEGETABLE.—Trade was fair for the usual mid-week arrival of home-grown vegetables, and everything sold up around the following rates:—York cabbage 23/- to 40/- per load, Swede turnips 2/2 to 2/10 per cwt., cauliflowers 2/6 to 4/6 per dozen, lettuce 4d. to 8d. per dozen, onions 8d. to 1/2 per bunch, scallions 10d. to 1/3 per bunch, turnips 2d. to 4d. per bunch.

CORK BUTTER.—A quieter tone; prices somewhat easier. Creameries 157/- to 161/- per cwt. Choicest salted 160/-; special dairies extra.

DUBLIN FISH.—Everything on this market cleared to a fair demand—namely, 157 boxes of fish from one steam trawler, 1 package of salmon, 20 chests of lobsters, 6 boxes of mackerel, and a sprinkling of fish from the usual country sources. Salmon 1/3 to 2/-per lb., large lobsters 10/- to 12/6, seconds 5/- to 7/6, and smalls 2/6 to 4/- per lot of 13; large soles 30/- to 40/-, mediums 20/- to 25/-, and slips 5/- to 10/- per 9 pairs; turbot 6d. to 10/- each, brill 6d. to 5/- each. Box fish—Plaice 12/6 to 80/-, codfish 25/- to 50/-, whiting 5/- to 25/-, white soles 30/- to 40/-, haddocks 20/- to 30/-, hake 25/- to 60/-, ling 10/- to 15/-, ray 10/- to 15/-, pollock 10/- to 15/-, congers 10/- to 15/-, gurnard 3/- to 5/- per half-box; mackerel averaged 6/ per box.

BILLINGSGATE FISH.—Fair supplies; fair demand. Salmon 28d. to 32d., soles 20d. to 27d. per lb.; live eels 15/- to 25/-, dead 10/- to 18/- per draught; turbot 14/- to 18/-, brill 14/- to 18/-, plaice 7/- to 12/-, halibut 11/- to 16/-, lemon soles 7/- to 13/-, whitches 5/- to 10/-, cod 3/- to 6/-, whiting 3/- to 6/-, hake 6/- to 8/-, skate 4/- to 6/-, haddocks 2/- to 5/- per stone.

PRODUCE.

LONDON.—SUGAR—British refined unaltered; moderate demand; imported kinds steady, quiet; forward positions quiet of sale at late rates. White terminal quiet; August sold 13/6½ to 13/5¼ and 13/6, November 14/1¼, December 14/4½ to 14/3¾, March 14/10½ to 14/9¾, May 15/1½. COFFEE—Spot market steady, quiet. COCOA dull; Accra November-January sold 44/6 f.o.b. terms. TEA—Indian auctions easy for common and medium teas, but fine sold at steady prices; there was quite a good demand. RICE—Quite quiet, but steady. SPICE—Pepper easier; Lampong May-July sold 7¼d., August-October 6¾d., Muntok May-July 1/1¼ to 1/1, August-October 11⅜d., October-December 11¼d. JUTE easier; firsts August quoted £28 10/- to £29, September £27 12/6 to £28 2/6, October sold £27 7/6 to £27 12/6, November £27 2/6 to £27 7/6 December £27 5/- to £27 5/- to £27 10/-. HEMP—Manila quieter; September-November sellers £44. COPRA steady, quiet; Straits August-September to Rotterdam sold £28 7/6. RUBBER steady, quiet; Plantation standard sheet spot sold 1/7⅝ to 1/7¾ and 1/7½, September 1/7¾ to 1/7⅞, October 1/8, October-December 1/8⅛ to 1/8¼, 1/8⅛ and 1/8¼, January-March 1/8⅜ to 1/8½. OILS—Linseed easier, but slightly irregular; spot quoted [illegible] ex mill. September-December sold 33/10½ to 33/6, January-April 34/4½. Rape dull, and largely nominal.

Cotton dull; crude Egyptian spot 39/-, Bombay 38/-, common edible 45/-. Soya oil slow; Oriental barrels August-September 39/6, bulk do. 34/-. Coconut quiet; Ceylon spot pipes 47/-, September-October 45/-. Turpentine quiet; American spot 65/3, September-December 66/9, January-April 68/9, spot sold at 65/-, September-December 66/6 per cwt. Petroleum steady; American standard white spot 1/1, water white 1/2 per gallon. Rosin firmly held, with spot offerings in small compass. TALLOW—At public sales 824 casks offered, and, with a fair demand, 426 casks sold at generally late rates. Quotations:—Australasian mutton, fair to fine 42/6 to 45/-, beef do. 42/- to 45/6, mixed fair to good 41/6 to 43/6, gut 37/- to 41/- per cwt. OILSEEDS—Linseed dull; Calcutta to London August-September, also September-October, sellers £18 15/-; Plate to Hull September-October £16 15/-, October-November £16 16/3, January-February £16 17/6. Rapeseed dull and nominal. Cottonseed steady; Egyptian black to Hull new September, also October, sellers £10 7/6, November-January £10 6/3; white October £9 17/6, November-January £9 12/6; Bombay September-October £7 15/-. Groundnuts firmer, and sellers reserved; Coromandel machined September-October sellers £21 7/6, new November-December £21, December-January £20 16/3; Chinese f.a.q. August-September £20 17/6, East African September-October £21 per ton.

LIVERPOOL WHITE SUGAR TERMINAL.—The following are the quotations:—Morning—August 13/6 value, September 13/7½ value, December 14/4½ value, March (1927) 14/10½ value, May (1927) 15/1½ value. Tone quiet. Afternoon—August 13/6 value, September 13/7½ value, December 14/4½ value, March (1927) 14/10½ value, May (1927) 15/1½ value. Tone quiet. The following are Messrs. Tate and Lyle's quotations—Crystals—No. 1 31/3, small No. 1 30/9, No. 2 29/6, bright 29/4½. Granulated—Standard 29/3, H.T.S. 29/4½, coarse 29/7½, fine 29/7½, less 1½ p.c. discount, ex refinery, Liverpool. Cubes, ex refinery, London—1st quality 33/3, H.T.S. 33/-, afternoon tea 33/6, less 1½ p.c. discount.

CLYDE SUGAR.—The market is firmer, with an improved business doing; prices are firm.

MISCELLANEOUS.

LIVERPOOL COTTON.—American futures—After opening easier, prices gradually improved during the day and a steady tone ruled at the close. Spot sales 6,000 bales (sales for export included in above 200 bales). American futures—Tendency steady. August 9.20d., Sept. 9.13d., Oct. 9.04d., Nov. 8.88d., Dec. 8.89d., Jan. 8.90d., Feb. 8.90d., March 8.96d., April 8.96d., May 8.99d., June 8.96d., July 8.97d., August 8.91d. Egyptian futures (basis f.g.f. Sakels.)—Tendency steady; Aug. 14.85d., Oct. 14.80d., Nov. 14.65d., Jan. 14.35d., March 14.23d., May 14.18d.

LONDON METALS MARKET.

RISE IN TIN.

The market for TIN exhibited firm features, and holders reserved, in face of improved Eastern advices. Cash on balance ruled 20/- and forward 10/- per ton dearer compared with previous close. Standard cash quoted £292 to £292 5/-, three months £286 5/- to £286 10/-; settlement price £292. 400 tons sold, comprising cash at £291 10/- to £292, three months £285 10/- to £285 5/- and finally £286 10/-. English quoted £290 10/- to £291. COPPER in good demand, but movements irregular, with prices settling down 2/6 per ton lower on balance. Standard cash quoted £59 to £59 2/6, three months £59 15/- to £59 17/6; settlement price £59. 1,250 tons changed hands; cash at £59 2/6, £58 17/6, £59 1/3 and finally £59; three months £59 17/6 to £59 16/3. Electros quoted £67 to £67 10/-, wire bars £67 10/-. LEAD firm, but quiet. 300 tons sold; good soft foreign pig August at £32 13/9, Oct. £32 7/6, Nov. £32 5/-; settlement price £32 12/6. English quoted £34. SPELTER steadier, with dealings on a fair scale. 750 tons sold; Sept. at £34 8/9, Nov. £34 13/9 to £34 12/6; settlement price £34 5/- per ton.

GLASGOW IRON AND STEEL.—Market for pig iron continues strong, with increasing scarcity. Sellers of No. 3 Scotch quoted 2/6 advance on last week's prices, but report no business. No. 3 Scotch 95/- f.a.s. Glasgow. No. 3 Middlesbrough 90/- f.o.b. Middlesbrough; mixed numbers East Coast hematite 82/6 f.o.b. Middlesbrough.

CANADIAN CATTLE EXPORTS.

(SPECIAL CABLE.)

MONTREAL, August 18.

Trade firmer. Choice steers $8.25 to $8.35, good $7.75 to $8, medium $7.25 to $7.50; cows, $5.50 to $6; bulls, $4.25 to $5.25 per 100lbs. Sailings to Liverpool—Kastalia, 434 cattle; Devonian, 620.

BOY STRUCK BY FLYWHEEL

ACCIDENT AT BELFAST ROPE-WORKS.

William McKeown, aged 15, of Vicarage street, Belfast, received a fracture of the skull while working in the Belfast Ropeworks yesterday.

A fly-wheel flew off while working at a rapid rate, and hit the boy on the head.

The serious nature of his injury was not known until he arrived at the Royal Victoria Hospital, and he was able to walk unaided into the ambulance. His condition is critical.

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FINANCIAL NEWS AND NOTES.

TONE AND COMMENT.

DUBLIN DULL.

TOBACCOS STRONG.

Despite the improved prospect of an early settlement in the coal dispute, Securities, likely to be most benefited by such an outcome, were dealt in with diffidence in most cases, and occasionally at a fresh decline in prices, while in other cases quotations advanced. The Funds, British and Local, were rather firmer markets. Sale pressure was shown for Bank of Ireland Stock, otherwise the Bank market was hard, with some signs of gathering firmness. Among Breweries, Guinness Ord. were again freely offered, and, in the absence of support, except at a concession, the price gave way further. Distillers were harder, and Dublin Distillers were dealt in. The annual meeting of the latter company will be held to-day, when an interesting statement on the difficulties of the trade may be expected. Among Rails, Great Southern Ord. eased, but Pre-Ord. issues finally closed firm. Dublin United Tram Pref. were harder. Parent Trust Pref. were lower on sale of a small lot, but Dunlop Rubber Ord. were again absorbed for the other side. Courtaulds were a good spot in the Textile group, as the shares moved up 1s. 3d. Bleachers were also wanted for the other side, and added to the recent improved price. Coats varied a few pence. Tobaccos were scarce at higher prices, but American "Fractions," owing to scarcity, rose further to 28s. 6d., the highest point yet reached, and equal to 114s. for the share against the current improved price of about 96s. 6d. for the full share, which rose 2s. 9d. J. G. Mooney and Co. Ord. further advanced to a fresh record figure on the maintenance of the interim dividend at rate of 15 p.c. per annum. Imperial Tobaccos were good in sympathy with B.A.T.

LONDON FIRMER.

RISE IN BRITISH RAILS.

A distinctly firmer tone prevailed in the London Stock markets, as a whole, yesterday, the decision of the miners' delegates to reopen negotiations having a good effect. Home Rails and Industrials were among those principally influenced, the former more particularly, and in these substantial improvements were registered in many directions. The volume of business transacted in markets generally, however, remained on a rather small scale, principal attention being centred on the Test match at the Oval. A quietly steady tone ruled in the gilt-edged section, and with the exception of Indias, which eased the turn, closing values were the same as on Tuesday evening. The principal feature among Foreign Government stocks was the sharp rally in French Loans on the improvement in the exchange. At the close the Fives showed an increase of ⅝, while the Fours finished ½ better. The development in the coal situation resulted in a further appreciation in Home Railway stocks. The traffic returns showed the following decreases:—Midland, £360,000; North-Eastern, £310,000; Great Western, £137,000, and Southern, £62,000. A generally quiet and steady tone ruled in Colonial and Foreign Rails, and, apart from a further appreciation in Cordoba Centrals, closing values were practically unaltered from Tuesday's levels.

A cheerful tone prevailed in Industrial sections under the influence of the more hopeful labour outlook. Textiles displayed a strong front, while Iron and Steels continued firm in tone. Tobaccos also hardened in certain directions, and Dunlops also went better. A quiet and steady tone ruled in Rubbers, while business in Oils remained on a small scale.

LEVER DRAWING 7 PER CENT. DEBENTURE STOCK.

Under the terms of the trust deed two per cent. of 7 per cent. Stock issued by the company is to be redeemed by drawings not later than the 28th August, and arrangements have been made for the drawing to take place on the 25th inst. Holders of Debenture Stock drawn are to receive one calendar month's notice, and such notice will be given on the 31st August, expiring on the 30th September.

INCOME TAX IN THE FREE STATE.

Mr. Charles H. Tolley has issued, as a supplement to his Income Tax Chart, a section dealing with income tax and super-tax in the Free State, and provisions for relief from double taxation when the same income is also taxed in Great Britain or Northern Ireland. Everything relating to all phases of income tax is dealt with in the eight sections into which the guide is divided (8d. net, from all booksellers).

OIL IN SWEDEN.

Several members of the Swedish Government have visited the new oilfields near Skelleftea, in Norrland. Interviewed, the Minister of Commerce declared that there are much greater possibilities than the members of the Government ever expected. Nobody who had seriously studied the question could doubt any longer that the resources would fulfil all expectations.

CONSTANTINOPLE'S MISTAKE.

The British Foreign Office has received an intimation from the Embassy at Constantinople that the recent police action against Chambers of Commerce was an administrative mistake, contrary to the orders of the Angora Government, and will not be repeated. The foreign Chambers of Commerce in Constantinople will, therefore, be free to function as hitherto.

A PROMISING SHARE.

Some activity has lately been noticeable in the shares of the Province of Buenos Ayres Waterworks, the Ordinary being now about 15s. 6d., at which they appear to offer reasonable prospects of capital appreciation over a moderate period. The company recently underwent a scheme of capital reorganisation which got rid of the arrears of Preference dividend and converted the "A" Shares into shares of £1 each. The evidence of the working of the company in the new form goes to show that a dividend may be anticipated on the Ordinary Shares on account of the current year.

PROVINCIAL EXCHANGES.

BIRMINGHAM.—Motors firmer. Singers maintained. Rovers and Humbers hardened. Standards reacted. Austins firm. Lucas still rising. Dunlops active at higher figures. Austins, 6/7½; Debs 89; Bluemels, 39/9; Components, 5/9; S.T.D., 3/1½; Enfields, 32/6; Humbers, 44/6; Lucas, 75/3; Dennis, 8/-; Napier, 34/-; Rolls, 35/1½; Rovers, 8/-; Singers, 52/9; Standards, 39/6; Swifts, 2/4½; Triumph, 28/6; Dunlops, 28/4½; Parent Defd., 30/9 x.d.

MANCHESTER.—Textiles active, with many further gains. Bleachers, 44/-44/6; Calicos, 30/-30/6; Bradford Dyers, 51/-52/-; Sewing Cottons, 51/3-52/3; Fine Spinners, 45/6-46/-; "Slubbers," 7/6-7/9; Coats, 61/-61/6; Ship Canal, 15/3-15/9; Velvets, 20/9-21/3; Courtaulds, 115/-117/6; Dunlops, 28/3-28/6; Amalgamated Cottons, 6/-6/3; Hoyles, 27/-28/-; Hollins, 20/-20/3.

BELFAST.

Business was very idle yesterday, and transactions were few and far between. In Home Government stocks the 5 per cent. War Loan was unchanged, being dealt in at 101⅛ and 101⅛. In Bank shares, Northern Bank "A" repeated previous price, 5⅞. Other Bank shares were unaltered. In Industrials, Coats Ord. changed hands at 61s. 6d., British-American Tobacco New Ord. at 75s. 6d. and 74s. 9d., and Fractions at 26s. 6d. Dunlop Rubbers brought 28s. 6d., and Swedish Match "B" 14⅞.

DIVIDENDS AND REPORTS.

BARLOW AND JONES.—Interim dividend of 1/- per share on the Ord., less tax (same).

BRITISH LINEN BANK.—Dividend for the past half-year at the rate of 16 per cent., less tax, payable on September 15 next (same).

BOLCKOW, VAUGHAN AND CO.—Dividend on 5 per cent. Shares, due August 15, will not be paid. Pref. dividend is paid to December 31, 1923. Last dividend on Ord. was 8 per cent. for year ended June 30, 1921.

GLASGOW AMERICAN TRUST.—Dividends of 5 per cent on Pref. and 8 per cent. on Ord. Shares, both less tax.

MILNERS SAFE.—Dividend for year of 7½ per cent., less tax, of which an interim dividend of 2½ per cent. has been paid.

PUGH DAVIES.—Pugh Davies and Co., wholesale milliners, of Manchester, announce that, owing to continued depression in trade, no dividend will be paid on the Pref. Shares for the half-year ended 30th June.

PETER ROBINSON, LTD.—Interim dividends declared for the half-year ended July 31, 1926, at the rate of 7 per cent. per annum on the Pref. Shares and at the rate of 10 per cent. per annum on the Ord. Shares.

S. PUNJAB RAILWAY.—Interim dividend of 6 per cent. on the Ord. Stock, less tax.

WALFORD LINES.—Profit £4,797. After adding balance brought forward of £840 there remains a balance of £5,637, which directors propose be carried forward.

LONDON MOVEMENTS.

A quiet and steady tone ruled in the gilt-edged section, but, with the exception of Indias, which went back the turn, closing values were practically without alteration. Among Indias, the Threes at 59¾ were ⅛ easier, while the 3½ p.c. dropped a similar amount to 69¼. Among Colonial Government stocks Nigeria 6 p.c. at 113 were a point to the good.

In the Foreign Government stock market French Loans enjoyed a sharp rally, owing to the improvement in the franc, and at the close of business the Fives showed a gain of ⅝ to 9⅛ x.d., while the Fours at 7⅛ were ⅛ better. Reconstruction Loans were firmer, Greek Sevens going ½ harder to 92¼. Peruvian Corporation Pref. were again on the up-grade, and at the close a further improvement of ¼ was registered to 49¼, while the Ord., although without material change, was firm in tone.

RAILS BUOYANT.

The more hopeful outlook regarding the coal situation was reflected in Home Rail stocks, and quotations went forward quite smartly in many directions. Great Westerns at 88¼ were ½ better, and Midland Ord. at 73½ also closed ½ higher, while the 4 p.c. Pref. at 73 x.d. were a full point to the good. North-Eastern 5 p.c. Pref.-Ord. at 54½ were a point to the good, and the 4 p.c. 1st and 2nd Prefs. at 67½ x.d. and 59½ x.d. were a point and two points higher respectively. Metropolitan Consols at 64 showed an improvement of a point, and Districts at 52 were ½ firmer. Southern Def.-Ord. at 45½ also gained ½ on the day's business, while Underground Ord. at 3⅞ were ⅛ to the good.

Colonial and Foreign Rails, with the exception of Cordoba Centrals, were quiet, and for the most part unaltered, while business remained on a small scale. Cordoba Central Ord., however, finished a further ½ higher at 83½, while the 2nd Pref. at 55½ were a full point to the good. Canadian Pacifics and Grand Trunks were quiet and without change as were Mexicans and Argentines.

RUBBER SHARES QUIET.

The volume of business transacted in the Rubber Share market yesterday remained on a small scale, while a quiet and generally steady tone prevailed. A quiet tone ruled in the commodity market, but quotations as a rule weakened a trifle towards the close of business. Spot opened at 1s. 7⅝d., hardened to 1s. 7¾d., and later eased to 1s. 7½d. per pound, which represents a decline of ⅛d. per pound on the day. September dropped from 1s. 7⅞d. to 1s. 7⅝d. per pound, while October kept steady at 1s. 8d. per pound. January to March eased from 1s. 8⅜d. to 1s. 8¼d. per pound. In the share market, Bukit Kajang hardened to 66s. 3d., or 1s. 3d. firmer on the day. Sendayan spurted to 53s. 9d. ex div., or 2s. 6d. firmer. Sungei Buaya were another firm spot, the final level of 57s. 6d. being 2s. 6d. higher, while Sumatra Consols at 46s. 10½d. c.d. were 1s. 10½d. above the overnight level. Allagar dropped 3d. to 4s., while Gadjah weakened a trifle to 10s. 7½d. Kamuning also fell back the turn, as did New Hayoep.

TEA SHARES BETTER.

Although the volume of dealings put through in the Tea Share market yesterday continued on a rather quiet scale, the firmer tendency evident on the earlier days of the week was again manifest, and closing quotations were appreciably higher in many instances. Amalgamated Estates went 1/16 harder at 42⅛, and Brahmapootra at 38 were ½ better. Budla Beta put on 1/16 to 6⅞, and Ceylon Plant at 6⅞ were also 1/16 firmer. Consolidated Tea and Lands closed ⅛ firmer at 33⅛. Darjeeling Consols. were a firm market the final quotation of 62s. 6d. being 3s. 4½d. higher.

OIL SHARES IRREGULAR.

While it cannot be said that there was much, if any, improvement in the volume of transactions yesterday, the leading Oil shares displayed a firmer tendency. On the other hand, Venezuelans were dull, and, taking the list as a whole, the price movements resulting from the day's business were of an irregular character. Despite the easier tendency in New York on the preceding day, Shells were a firm market, and after touching 4⅞, left off rather buyers at 4⅞, the Bearer shares also closing unchanged at 4⅞, while a moderate demand existed for the 7 per cent. Prefs., which strengthened to 25s. 3d. Royal Dutch also displayed firmness, rising ⅛ to 31⅞, while Anglo-Americans closed steady at 3⅞. A good start was made by Anglo-Persians, which were bid for in the early hours at 4⅞, but they came on offer later, and fell to 4⅞ offered, closing either side of the latter price, the result of the day's business being a loss of 1/16. Burmahs were supported, and improved 1/16 to 5⅛. Dealings in Mexican Eagles were on a small scale, Paris again being hardly a factor in the day's business. At the close the Ord. and 8 per cent. Participating Prefs. were easier at 18s. 4½d. and 17s. 3d., respectively; but the 7 per cent. Prefs. responded to a moderate demand and strengthened to 16s. 6d. Among Venezuelans, British Controlled were again a dull market, disappointment being occasioned by the latest production and shipment figures, and resulting in some offering of the shares. The Common shares weakened to 8s. 9d., and the Pref. to 10s. 9d. V.O.C. Holdings fell 1/16, the Ord. to 3⅞, and the Prefs. to 3⅞. Despite the improvement in New York overnight, Lagos receded 1/16 to 4⅞.

ADVANCING TEXTILE PRICES.

The decision of the coal miners' delegates to reopen negotiations with the miners was regarded as a good omen in the Industrial market yesterday, and as a result prices were marked up to a moderate extent in several instances. Renewed activity was witnessed in the Coal, Steel, and Engineering groups, but the best showing was made by Textiles. Buying orders from the North left their impression on the Textile section. Bleachers at 44s., and Bradford Dyers at 52s., each gained 1s., with Fine Spinners at 45s. 9d., Joshua Hoyles at 27s. 6d., both 9d. to the good. Advances of 6d. were recorded by Calico Printers at 30s. 3d., Sewing Cottons at 52s., Linen Threads at 32s. 6d., and Listers at 23s. 3d. Wardle and Davenport put on 1/16 at 3⅛. Dyestuffs touched 12s. 3d. at one time, but reacted later to 11s. 7½d. Of the Art Silks, Courtaulds fluctuated between 5⅞ and 5⅞, finally closing at the latter figure, 1/16 higher on balance. Snias held their advance at 1⅞. Apex Artsilk Pref. improved to 13s. 3d., and Bulmer Rayon Pref. to 8s. 3d.

Hopes of peace in the coal world induced further support for Coal, Steel, and Engineering descriptions. Quite a number of shares changed hands. Armstrongs advanced to 6s., Baldwins to 7s., John Brown partly-paid shares to 8s. South Durham Steels to 2⅞ and Vickers to 9s. 3d. Hadfields at 16s. 3d. and United Steels at 5s. 3d. were also in demand. An investment demand for Electrical Equipment issues was again noted, and both General Electrics at 30s. 6d. and Johnson and Phillips at 64s. 6d. gained 6d. There was quite a large turnover in "Bats," which changed hands up to 96s. 9d., and finished a further 1s. 6d. up at 96s. "Imps" also changed hands freely up to 114s., and closed with a net gain of 9d. at 113s. 3d. Elsewhere in the Tobacco group, United Souths were a good market 1/16 up at 4⅛, but the rest had a dull appearance. Carreras weakened to the extent of ⅝ at 14½, with Godfrey Phillips 1/16 down at 5⅛, and Copes and R. J. Hill unchanged. There was very little doing among breweries, where the tone was described as steady. Watney Def. were dealt in up to 264, and Style and Winch had buyers around 40s. South African Breweries changed hands at 51s. Nitrates moved within narrow limits, but the undertone was firmer, with Alianzas favoured ½ better at 9⅞. Banks remained quietly firm, apart from Union of Australia, which shed ⅛ at 14⅞.

Motor shares failed to attract much attention, but Morris Motor Prefs. hardened to 1s. discount. Shipping issues were uncertain. Royal Mail Prefs. put on 1 to 84½, and an inquiry for Oceanic Steam Debs. saw a similar advance to 93½, but both Houlder Line Pref. at 3⅞ and Lamport and Holt Pref. at ⅞ were fractionally easier. Among Insurance shares North British and Mercantile rose ½ to 23, and the tone generally of this section was firm. Among Newspapers, Allied further advanced to 44s. 6d. A feature in the Traction group was the demand for Sidros, which changed hands up to 12⅞ and closed ½ higher at 12½. Barcelona Common held at 37½, but Brazilian Tractions fell back a point to 114, and Mexico Trams a similar amount to 15. In the Miscellaneous department there were few features of interest. Many Sugar issues continued to meet with inquiry, the Ordinary at 2⅞ and the Deferred at 12⅞. Dunlops remained an uncertain market, and eventually closed 3d. harder at 28s. 6d. Cement descriptions were harder. Swedish Match "B" gained the turn at 14⅞, but Bryant and Mays were slightly easier at 48s. Gramophones stiffened to 64s. 6d., and Columbia Graphophones were slightly harder at 51s. 3d.

LATEST CLOSING AND STREET PRICES.

CONSOLS, ETC.

Consols	[illegible]	4½% Conv. Ln.	[illegible]
War Ln. 5%	[illegible]	5% Treas. Bds.	101½-102½
do. 4½%	[illegible]	Irish Lnd. 2¾%	67-69
do. 3%	101-101½	India 3%	59-60 −⅛
do. 4% (Tax Free) 101½-101¾		do. 3½%	69-70 −⅛
		do. 4½%	101½-102½
Fund'g L'n	85-86½	do. 7%	103-104
Victory Bds.	92-94½	Local Lns.	62-63½
3½% Conv. Ln.	75½-76½	Sudan 5½%	107-109

COLONIAL GOVERNMENT STOCK.

Aust. Com. 5½%	100-102	Q'sland 4, '40-50	80-82
do. 6%	101-103	do. 6% '30-40	101-103
Brit. Col. 4½ '41	92-94	S.Africa 4% Cns.	84-86
Canada 4%	78-80	do. 6%	103-105
Cape 3½ Cons.	72-82	S.A'stral'a 4, '40-60	81-83
Ceylon 6%	106-108	do. 5½%	102-104
N.S.W. 4½ '22-7	98-100	Victoria 4, '40-60	82-84
do. 5½ 1922-7	100-102	do. 5½% 1922-5	100-2
do. 6½% 1930-40	102-4	W.Aus. 5½% '25-45	98-100
N.Zeal'd 4, '29	96-98	do. 6% 1930-40	101-103
Nigeria 6%	112-114+1		

FOREIGN BONDS.

M.U.—Aug. 9.

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99½	Argentine, 1886	98	100	
80¾	Do. 4 p.c. Rescissions	79	81	
93	Do. 5 p.c., 1909	94	96	
80½	Brazil 4 p.c., 1889	80	81	
92½	Do. Funding, 1908	92	94	
84	Do. 5 p.c., 1914	83	85	
89½	Chinese 5 p.c., 1896	90	92	
74½	Do. 4½ p.c., 1898	74	76	
58¾	Do. 5 p.c., 1912	57	60	
105	Czecho-Slovakia Bonds	104	106	
83½	Egyptian Unified	82½	83½	
9¾	French Loan	9½	9¾*	+ ½
7⅛	Do. 4 p.c.	6⅞	7¼	+ ¼
104⅞	German 7 p.c.	104½	105½	
92	Greek Loan	91½	92½	
12	Italian Rentes	10½	12½	
92½	Japan 4 p.c., 1905	91	94	
93½	Do. 6 p.c., 1924	93	94	
45½	Mexican 5 p.c., '99	50	60	
47½	Do. 6 p.c. 10-Y. Treas.	55	65	
6½	Peruvian Corporation	6¼	7½	
47¾	Do. Pref.	48¾	49¾	+ ¾
101	Do. Deb.	101	103	
33½	Portuguese 3 p.c.	32½	34½	
—	Spanish 4 p.c.	68	73	
15½	Turkish Unified	15	16	
66	Uruguay 3½ p.c.	65	66	

BRITISH RAILS.

85¾	Great Western	88	89*	+ ½
—	Do. Cons. Pref.	92	95*	
71	Ldn., Mid. and Scot. Ord	73	74*	+ ½
—	Do. 4 p.c. Pref.	72	74*	+1
—	Do. 5 p.c. Red. Pref.	95	98	
—	Do. 4 p.c. Pref., 1923	69	71*	
50	Ldn. North-East 5 p.c. Pref. Ord.	54	55	+1
16	Do. Def. Ord.	17	17½	
—	Do. 4 p.c. 1st Pref.	66	69*	+1
—	Do. 4 p.c. 2nd Pref.	58	61*	+2
63½	Metropolitan	63½	64½*	+1
—	Do. 5 p.c. Pref.	88	91*	
51	Do. District	51½	52½	+ ½
78	Southern Pref. Ord.	77½	78½*	
43¾	Do. Def. Ord	45	46	+ ½
41½	Do. "A"	40½	41½	
10¾	Do. "B"	10	11	
3½	Underground Electric	3⅝	3⅞	+ ⅛
103	Do. Income Bonds	102	104	
105	Do. 6 p.c. Debs.	103	105	

COLONIAL AND FOREIGN RAILS.

83	Antofagasta	81	83	
—	Argentine G.W. Ord.	81½	83½	
—	Bahia Blanca	81½	83½	
—	Brazil Railway Common	¾	1¼	
98	Buenos Ayres Gt. S.	98	100	
87	Buenos Ayres and Pacific	87	89	
87	Buenos Ayres and W.	87	89	
168½	Canadian Pacific	168	170	
74½	Central Argentine	74	76	
77	Central Uruguay	76½	78½	
34½	Cordoba Central	33½	35½	
83	Do. 1st Pref.	82½	84½	+ ½
74½	Do. 2nd Pref.	54½	56½	+1
61	Entre Rios	60	62	
—	Do. 6 p.c. Pref.	86	88	
—	Grand Trunk Pac. Deb.	50	53	
—	Grand Trunk 4 p.c. Guar.	77	79	
—	Do. 4 p.c. Perp. Deb.	79	81	
43¾	Leopoldina	44	46	
7½	Mexican Rails	7	8	
22	Do. 8 p.c. Pref.	20	22	
12	Do. 6 p.c. Pref.	11	13	
189½	San Paulo Ord.	187	192	
75	United Havana	74	76	

AMERICAN RAILS.

—	Atchison	152	154	−1
—	Baltimore	106	108	−1
—	Chesapeake	154	156	+1
—	Chicago, Milwaukee	12	13	−1
24½	Erie	34	36	
—	Do. 1st Pref.	44	46	
—	New York, Ontario	25	27	
124½	Southern Common	124	126	
—	Do. Pref.	96	98	− ½
—	Southern Pacific	109	111	−1
159	Union Pacific	161	163	

OILS.

3⅝	Anglo-American	3⅝	3¾	
1⅛	Anglo-Ecuadorian	1⅜	1⅝	
1⅛	Anglo-Egyptian "B"	1⅛	1⅜	
26/10½	Anglo-Persian 8 p.c.	26/1½	26/7½	
27/7½	Do. 9 p.c. 2nd Pref.	26/10½	27/4½	−0/1½
4⅛	Do. Ord., issued 3½ p.c.	4⅝	4⅞	− 1/16
95¾	Do. 5 p.c. Deb.	95½	96½	
2⅛	Apex Trinidad	2⅞	3	− 1/16
⅞	Attock	⅝	¾	
11/6	Brit. Borneo Pet. (10/-)	12/3	12/9	−0/6
7/3	British Burmah (8/-)	7/0	7/6	
9/0	British Controlled	8/7½	8/10½	−0/1½
11/1½	Do. Pref.	10/7½	10/10½	−0/1½
5⅛	Burmah	5⅛	5¼	+ 1/16
27/0	Do. 8 p.c. Pref.	26/9	27/3	
1/0	Caltex	1/7½	1/10½	
5¼	Eagle Transport	5⅛	5⅜	
100½	Do. 7 p.c. Notes	100	101	
101½	Do. Bearer	101	102	
14/4½	Kern River (10/-)	14/4½	14/10½	
4⅛	Lago	4⅛	4⅜	− 1/16
6¼	Lobitos	6⅝	6⅞	+ 1/16
19/0	Mexican Eagle	18/1½	18/7½	−0/1½
18/0	Do. 8 p.c. Pref.	17/0	17/6	−0/3
16/4½	Do. 7 p.c. 1st Pref.	16/3	16/9	+0/1½
3/6	North Caucasian (10/-)	3/3	4/3	
7/9	Omnium	3/0	4/3	
1/4½	Oropuche (4/- sh. f.p.)	1/0	1/3	
18/1½	Phoenix	18/1½	18/7½	
31¾	Royal Dutch	31⅝	31⅞	+ ⅛
4⅞	Shell Transport	4⅝	4⅞	
9⅞	Do. 5 p.c. Pref. (£10)	9⅞	10⅛	
25/7½	Do. 7 p.c. Pref.	25/0	26/0	+0/1½
1/3	Spies (10/-)	1/1½	1/4½	
11/0	Steaua Romana	11/3	11/9	+0/3
7/6	Tankers Pref.	7/1½	7/7½	
15/0	Trinidad Central	14/6	15/0	
2⅞	Trinidad Lease	2⅞	2⅞	
6/6	United Brit. Trinidad	6/7½	6/10½	
3/6	Ural Caspian	3/6	4/6	
3¾	V.O.C. Holdings	3¾	3⅞	− 1/32
3⅛	Do. 7 p.c. Pref.	3⅝	3⅞	− 1/16

RUBBERS.

M.U.—Aug. 9.

M.U.			
3/6	Amal. Rubber Est.	3/7½	
66/0	Anglo-Dutch	66/9	
7/3	Anglo-Java	7/4½	−0/0½
1½	Anglo-Malay	[illegible]	
8/4½	Bertam Cons.	8/9	
5/6	Bukit Mertajam	5/9	
3/1½	Bukit Sembawang	3/1½	
1¼	Buntar	27/6	+0/6
1¼	Damansara	[illegible]	
2½	Grand Central	[illegible]	
[illegible]	Highlands	[illegible]	
[illegible]	Java Para	[illegible]	
23/9	Jugra Land	25/3	
8/10½	Kamuning	8/9	−0/2½
[illegible]	Kepong	10/7½	+0/3
[illegible]	Kuala Lumpur	[illegible]	
[illegible]	Kuala Muda	[illegible]	
[illegible]	Labu	[illegible]	
[illegible]	Linggi	51/9	
[illegible]	London Asiatic	[illegible]	
[illegible]	Malacca	[illegible]	
[illegible]	Malayalam	[illegible]	
3/6	Merlimau	18/7½	
[illegible]	Mooply Valley	42/6	
3/9	Rubber Est. of Krian	3/1½	
44/0	Rubber Trust	44/3	
[illegible]	Seafield (New)	[illegible]	
[illegible]	Sendayan	53/9*	+2/6
[illegible]	Sialang	63/1½	
1¼	Straits Rubber	[illegible]	
7/3	Sumatra Para	7/3	
[illegible]	Tali Ayer	38/9	
[illegible]	Tandjong	24/7½	
1¼	Tandjong Malim	[illegible]	
8/10½	United Serdang	7/1½	
4⅛	United Sua Betong	102/6*	
24/9	Vallambrosa	28/7½*	

Abaco	77/6		Ledbury	80/7½	
Allagar	4/0	−0/3	Lendu	31/10½	
Allied Sum	23/1½		Lenggoer	[illegible]	
Ampat	8/9*		Manch'ter N.B.	47/9*	
Anglo-Sum	100/0		Membakut	28/9	
Asahan	23/0		Mendaris	38/9	
Bah Lias	48/9		New Hayoep	2/0	−0/1
Batu (Java)	67/6*		N. Hummock	25/1½	
Batang	2/10½		Pahi Plte. (1/sp)	2/6	
Batu Tiga	61/10½		P.P.K. (C'yl'n)	33/1½	
Bernam Perak	48/9		Pataling	37/6	
B.N.B.R. Trst	16/6*		Pegoh	61/10½*	
Broome Sel	30/6		Pilmoor	55/0*	
Bukit Cloh	8/10½*		Port Dickson	4/10½*	
Bukit Kajang	66/3	+1/3	Rahand	42/6	
Bukit Rajah	43/9		Rim Malacca	6/0	
Castlefield	11/3		Rub. E. Johore	32/6	
Ceylon Timber	7/3		Sapong	71/10½	
Chersonese	3/9		Sapumalk'de	31/10½	
Cheviot	5/9½		Sedenak	51/3	
Cicely	9/6*		Sekong	18/1½	
Dennistown	2/8½		Selangor	[illegible]	
Djember	62/6		Sembilan	[illegible]	
East Asiatic	4/4½*		Sepang Sel.	27/6	
Eastern Sum.	4/0		Seramban	20/7½	
Eastern Trust	37/6		Serdang C'ntl.	38/9	
F.M.S. Plant.	70/0		Sing United	3/6	+0/1½
Gadjah	10/7½	−0/1½	Singapore Par	2/10½	
Gen. Ceylon	29/9	+0/6	Soember Ajoe	4/0*	
Glenbervie	57/6*		Sumatra Con.	46/10½	+1/10½
Glenshiel	22/6		Sungei Buaya	57/6	+2/6
Golconda	55/0		Sungei Choh	20/7½	
Golden Hope	43/1½		Sungei Kapar	7/4½	
Hongkong Sel.	55/0		Sungei Kr. Pf.	67/6	
Insulinde	3/7½		Taiping	2/9	
Java Amal.	50/7½		Tamiang	54/4½	
Johore River	2/1½	+0/1½	Tebran	62/6	
Kali Java	4/0		Telogoredjo	67/6	
Kasintoe	42/6		Tempeh	3/3	
Kepitigalla	3/0*		Timbang Dehli	1/10½	
Kombok	4/9		Toerangie	54/4½	
Kuala Sel	8/6		Un. Temiang	3/7½	
Kwaloe	3/6		Waverley	3/0	
Langkat Sum	38/9		Yam Seng	6/0*	

TEAS.

Amal. Estates	42⅛	+ 1/16	Galaha Ceylon	52/3	
Assam Co.	48/6	−0/4½	Imperial	47/0	−0/6
Assam Dooars	49½		Jetigna Valley	47/6	
Assam Front'r	33/10½	+0/6	Jhanzie	88/9	
Bog'want'lawa	80/0		Jokai	80/4½	+0/7½
Borelli	88/9	−0/7½	Jorehaut	89/9	+0/4½
Brahmapootra	38	+ ½	Lanka	36/7½	
Brit. Indian	73/0		Lebong	73/6	+1/7½
Budla Beta	6⅞	+ 1/16	Kanan Devan	35¼	
Ceylon Plant.	6⅞	+ 1/16	Lungla	82/9	+0/1½
Ceylon Prop.	76/3	+1/10½	Makum	30/3	
Chargola	27/9		Moabund	57/6	+1/0
Chubwa	53/3		Nedeem	52/0	
Chulsa	80/0		New Dimbula	6⅛	+ ⅛
Con. Tea & L.	33⅛	+ ⅛	Nuwara Eliya	97/6	
Darjeeling Co.	45/3		Ouvah	66/6	+3/6
Ditto Consol	62/6	+3/4½	Peacock & Nil	4/3¾	+0/0¾
Deundi	25/6	−0/3	Pabbojan	7⅛	
Dima	5⅛		Pundaloya	81/0	
Dimbula Val.	76/0		Rosehaugh Cey	43/6	
Dooars	80/0	−0/7½	Scottish Assam	38/9	
Doom Dooma	92/3		Scot. T. & Ln.	53/9	
E. Assam	81/0	+0/9	Singlo	65/7½*	
East Produce	101/6	+0/7½	Travancore	90/0	
Empire	62/6	+0/3	Up. Assam	54/0	

DUBLIN BUSINESS DONE.

IRREGULAR PRICE MOVEMENTS. BANK STOCK AND GUINNESS LOWER. TEXTILES AND TOBACCOS GOOD.

Government National Loan rose ⅛ to 97⅝, while Compensation 5 p.c. repeated 96½ and Land Bonds 4½ p.c. 89.

British Funds were generally good. Consols repeated 55. War Loan 5 p.c. rose ⅛ to 101⅛ and Guaranteed Land 2¾ p.c. ⅛ to 65, but India 3 p.c., not often dealt in here, were dull and, exceptionally, fell ½ to 59⅝.

In Banks, Bank Stock fell 1 to 286, but Nationals rose ⅛ to 20¼, while Hibernians repeated 7⅞, Munster and Leinsters 6⅞, and Royals 12¼ nominally, bid.

As regards Breweries and Distilleries, Distillers rose 6d. to 53s., but Dublin Distillers Ord. fell 3d. to 9s. 6d., and the Pref. realised 25s. Guinness Ord. were on sale, and fell a further ⅝ to 66, while the Pref. repeated 11⅞.

In Rails, Great Southern Ord. fell ¼ to 19½, but the Guaranteed rose 1/16 to 48½, while the Pref. repeated 36. Great Northern Guaranteed rose 1/16 to 52, but an odd lot of the Pref. realised 40½, or ⅞ lower.

In Trams, Dublin United Pref. rose ⅛ to 8¼.

Dunlop Rubber Ord. rose 3d. to 28s. 4½d., 28s. 6d., but Parent Trust Pref. fell 6d. to 14s. for an odd lot.

In Bakery Shares, Bolands repeated 39s., and in Drapery Shares Crowe Wilson Pref. again fetched 13s. 3½d.

Among Manufacturing Shares, Courtaulds were better, and rose 1s. 3d. to 116s. 3d. Bleachers 7½d. to 43s. 10½d., Coats "B" Pref. 3d. to 23s., and Bradford Dyers 1s. to 52s.; but Coats Ord. fell 1½d. to 60s. 10½d., 61s., and the £10 6 per cent. Pref. realised 11⅜. Lever Bros. 7 per cent. Pref. were the turn lower, finally at 19s. 6d., 19s. 4½d. British-American Tobaccos rose 2s. 9d. to 96s. 6d., and ditto Fractions 1s. to 28s. 6d. Imperials, in sympathy, rose 1s. 6d. to 113s. 3d., and ditto of Canada 1½d. to 24s. 10½d. Vickers again realised 9s.

In Trading, etc., J. G. Mooney and Co. Ord. rose ¼ to 10½, while Dublin Artisans' Dwellings repeated 5⅞, and Shell Transports 89s.

Radio Common fell 1/16 to 8⅛.

BUSINESS DONE:

National Loan (97½)	97⅝	Dub. Tram Pref. (8)	8¼
Compensation Stock (96½)	96½	Parent Pref. (14/6)	*14/-
Land Bonds (89)	89	Bolands Ord. (39/-)	39/-
Consols (55)	*55	Crowe Pf. (13/1½)	*13/1½
5% War Loan (101⅛)	101⅛	Bleachers (43/3)	43/10½
Land Stk. '21 (64½)	65	Dyers	52/-
India 3% (59½)	59⅝	Coats (61/1½)	60/10½ 1/-
Bank Stock (287)	286c	Do. Pref.	11⅜
Hibernian (7½)	*7⅞	Do. B Pref. (22/9)	*23/-
Mun. & Lein. (6⅜)	6⅞	Courtaulds (115/-)	116/3
National (20⅛)	20¼	B.A.T. (93/9)	96/6
Distillers Co. (52/6)	53/-	Do. Fract. (27/8)	28/6
Dub. Distillers (9/9)	*9/6	Imp. Tob. (111/9)	113/3
Do. Pref. (34/-)	25/-	Do. Canada (24/9)	24/10½
Guinness (66¾)	66	Lever 7% (19/6)	19/6 /4½
Do. Pref. (11⅛)	11⅞	Vickers (9/-)	9/-
G.S. Ord. (19¾)	19½	Mooney (J. G.) (10½)	10½
Do. Pref. (36)	36	Art. Dwellings (5⅞)	*5⅞
Do. Guar. (48⅛)	*48½	Dunlops (28/3)	28/4½ /6
G.N. Pref. (40⅝)	*40½	Radio Common	8⅛
Do. Pref. (51⅛)	52	Shells (89/-)	89/-

* Odd lot; a asked; b bid; c cash.
(Last business done given in parentheses.)

IRISH BANKS RATE.

Discount	6 p.c. Dec. 3, 1925.
Deposit	2½ p.c. Dec. 3, 1925.

STOCK EXCHANGE SETTLEMENTS.

Contango	Aug. 23	Sept. 13
Mining ticket	Aug. 24	Sept. 14
General ticket	Aug. 25	Sept. 15
Account day	Aug. 26	Sept. 16

LONDON MINING MARKET

RATHER IDLE.

In the Mining Market yesterday there was not a great deal doing, and few changes were recorded in Kaffirs. After the selling orders received from the Cape a change of policy from this centre was welcome, although the inquiries sent were not numerous, and mainly for specialities. Central Mining were easier, the previous day's rise bringing in a few sellers, but the other finance shares were quiet and steady. Sub Nigels were unchanged throughout the day, a harder tendency being reported from South Africa, where the shares were 57s. 6d. bid ex-dividend. On this side the price is still full of the dividend. Renewed attention was given to Rose Deep on behalf of Cape operators, and another rise took place, while Village Deep were also in favour and hardened. Crown Mines lost ground, but the recent decline in Springs Mines has encouraged a little buying, and these shares were quietly picked up throughout the day. The reaction in West Springs does not yet appear to have ended, and a further loss was shown. T.C.L. were offered and declined, and S.A. Townships were also easier. Rhodesians presented a more animated appearance. A large turnover was reported in Southern Rhodesia Base Metals, for which the Cape was sending buying orders. On the report Rhodesia and General Asbestos hardened, and Congo Borders were also better. Bwana Mkubwas weakened the turn. Cam and Motor eased, but as these shares will soon be quoted x.d., it is considered likely that they will be regarded as cheap, and a recovery may set in. Diamonds were steady, De Beers Defd. losing a small fraction and West Africans easing on profit-taking. Tin is slowly climbing back after last week's setback, and gained £1 at £292 2s. 6d. per ton. The Share market, however, was particularly quiet. The buying of Tronohs mentioned in yesterday's issue was again in progress, and the price hardened; while Ipohs gained the turn. Nigerians were very idle, and a little early end of account selling was reflected in a few small losses. In Coppers, Rio Tinto advanced with the help of Paris, and the buying of Mount Lyells continued on the strength of the metal price. Lena Goldfields were again a centre of activity, and a further small rise was shown. It is privately reported that arrangements for the increase of the Vipond Consolidated capital are well advanced, it being intended to acquire several important adjoining properties with the new capital. In other directions there was a good recovery in Santa Gertrudis shares. Recent selling, it is stated, has been caused by fears that the new Mexican mining regulations would be harmful, but these do not affect the existing companies. A better, though belated appreciation of this fact led to yesterday's recovery in Santa Gertrudis.

Owing to a telegraphic breakdown, we have had to go to press this morning without a number of our financial features.

INSURANCE SHARES.

BUSINESS DONE IN LONDON.—Alliance Assurance, 15⅞; Employers' Liability, 81/4½; Guardian Assurance, 8⅞; London Assurance, 11½, ⅛, £11 6/9, £11 5/9; Motor Union, 6½; North British, 23; Northern Assurance, 13⅛; Prudential A, 22½; do. B, 37/-, 6/6; Re-Insurance Corporation, x.d. 17/7½, 9d.; Royal Exchange, 6⅞, ⅞; Royal Insurance, 32⅛, ⅛, £32 6/9; Scottish Union, 10⅞; Sun Insurance, 23⅞; World Auxiliary, 19/-, 18/3.

BUSINESS DONE IN LIVERPOOL.—Alliance Assurance, £15 10/4½; do. New Shares, 16½; Atlas Assurance, 18½; Caledonian Insurance, 14⅛; Commercial Union Assurance, 24⅛; Employers' Liability Assurance, 82/6; Guardian Assurance, 8⅞, ⅞, ⅞; London and Lancashire Insurance, 20⅛; London Assurance, 11½; Phoenix Assurance (Numbers 1 to 695,245), 13⅛; Royal Insurance, 32⅛, ⅛, 1/16; Sun Insurance, 23⅞.

TRAFFICS.

Mexican Railway — Decrease, $29,400. Entre Rios—Increase £600. Canadian Pacific—Increase $386,000. Underground Electric Railways Co. of London—Week to August 14th—Common Fund Companies—Increase—£2,500. January 1—Decrease, £18,5,000. London and Sub Traction Group, Jan. 1, Decrease £38,900. Argentine N. Eastern—Decrease £1,400. Buenos Ayres and Pacific—Increase—£1,000. Burma Railways—Increase Rs.20,574. Central Argentine—Decrease £9,000. United Railways of the Havana—Decrease £8,071. Suez Canal—Increase 580,000f. Salvador Railway—Increase £1,625. Leopoldina Terminal—Increase £2,575. Leopoldina Railway—Increase £16,542. Buenos Ayres Great Southern—Increase £12,000. Buenos Ayres Western—Increase £2,000. Central Uruguay Railway—Decrease—£4,199. Central Uruguay Railway Eastern Extension—Decrease £787. Central Uruguay Northern Extension—Decrease £1,110. Central Uruguay Western Extension—Increase £57. London, Midland and Scottish Railway.—Week to August 15, £1,290,000, decrease £360,000.

HOW LAND RATES MOUNT.

THE UNWELCOME VALUATION REVISER.

Protesting against the visit of a revising valuer to the Oulart (Co. Wexford) district, a resolution, passed by the Oulart branch of the Farmers' Union, pointed out that, under legislation, such as the Dairy and Cowsheds Order and the Dairy Produce Act, farmers were expected to improve the housing accommodation for stock, but the valuation revisor then penalised them for their thrift and enterprise by increasing their valuation. The result was that the industrious farmer had to pay more rates than his more indolent neighbour.

THE MONEY MARKET.

LOANS STILL STRINGENT.

FRENCH FRANCS DEARER.

The repayment of a fairly large sum to the Bank of England yesterday further taxed market resources, and it was found necessary to renew a small portion of this amount. Calls on new issues absorbed £2,400,000, against which disbursements amounted to about £2,000,000. Short loans were in good demand, with borrowers again paying up to 5 per cent., although 4½ to 4¾ per cent. appeared to be the more general charge. Fixtures went on at 4 per cent. The discount market remained very firm the tendency being for bills of all dates to gravitate towards 4½ per cent. This rate was generally quoted for fine three months' maturities, while six months' bills, for which there was a little foreign inquiry, were not better than 4⅞ per cent. The new Treasuries remained on offer at 4½ per cent. sellers.

Bank Rate Discount (changed Dec. 2, 1925), 5%

60 days (fine)	4½%				
3 months	4½%	4¾	Trade	5	5¼%
4 months	4½%		"	5¼	5½%
6 months	4½%		"	5½	6%
Loans to brokers day-to-day				5	4½%
" " for a week				4	4½%
Deposit allowance: Banks at call				3	%
" " Discount houses at call				3	%
" " at notice				3¼	%

America sold bar silver, but the China banks bought, and prices were higher. The spot quotation rose 1/16d. to 28⅝d., while the forward quotation was ⅛d. higher at 28⅞d. per ounce. The price of gold remained at 84s. 9½d. per fine ounce. The Bank of England announced the purchase of gold bars to the value of £17,000; also that £10,000 in sovereigns had been taken for export to Spain. The net gold influx for the week amounts to £179,000.

A fairly substantial appreciation took place in French and Belgian Francs. At one time the Paris quotation was close to 174, but finally the rate was nearly 7½ francs lower at 169¼. Business in Belgian francs was recorded at 178⅜, from which there was a recovery to 175⅜, showing a movement in favour of Brussels of over 4½ francs. Lire were also better at 147½, and the currencies of Norway and Rumania improved, but Dutch florins were chaper at 12.11½, and Spanish pesetas reacted in our favour to 31.36½. Sterling, as quoted in American dollars, rallied to 4.86, which was the best rate touched during the day. South American exchanges were steady.

—	Aug. 18 Closing Rates.		Aug. 17 Closing Rates.		Par Rate
Amsterdam	12.11¼	12.11½	12.10¾	12.11	12.10
B. Ayres	45⅝	45⅞	45⅝	45½	47⅝d.
Barcelona	31.13	31.15	31.45	31.50	25.22½
Berlin	20.41	20.41½	20.40½	20.41½	20.43
Brussels	175¼	176	180¾	180½	25.22½
Calcutta	1/6 1-64	1/6 3-64	1/6 1-64	1/6 3-64	2/0
Copenhagen	18.27	18.29	18.28	18.30	18.159
Geneva	25.15	25.16	25.14	25.15	25.22½
Greece	440	443	436	443	25.22½
Helsingfors	192¾	193	192¾	193	193.23
Italy	147½	147⅝	148	148¾	25.22½
Kobe (p.yn.)	1/11⅞	1/11¾	1/11⅞	1/11⅞	24.58d
Madrid	—	—	—	—	25.22½
Montreal	4.85¼	4.85⅝	4.85¼	4.85⅜	4.86 2/3
Montevideo	49⅝d.	49⅞d.	49⅝d.	49⅞d.	51d.
New York	4.85⅛	4.86⅛	4.85⅞	4.86	4.86 2/3
Oslo	22.14	22.17	22.14	22.17	18.159
Paris	169¼	169¾	176¾	177	25.22½
Prague	163⅞	164⅛	163⅞	164⅛	24.02
Rio de Jan.	7 1/32	7 1/32	7 1/16	7 3/32	27d
Shanghai	2/9¾	2/10⅛	2/9¾	2/10⅛	—
Singapore	2/3 1/32	2/3 3/32	2/3 1/32	2/3 3/32	2/4
Stockholm	18.14½	18.15½	18.14½	18.15½	18.15
Vienna	34.40	34.43	34.38	34.43	34.58½
Warsaw	44	46	44	46	25.22½

DEALINGS IN LONDON MARKET.

The following dealings among active stocks and shares were "marked" in London yesterday:—

Consols—55⅛, ⅛, ⅛, 1/16, 1/16, ⅛, 3/16, 1/16. **5 p.c. War Loan**—101½, 1/16, ⅛, 3/32, 3/32, *3/32, *3/32. **Funding Loan**—86⅛, 6, ⅛, *3/32, 1/16, 1/16, ⅛, 1/16. **Conversion Loan 3½ p.c.**—76⅛, 3/32, ⅛, ⅛, 1/16, 3/32, ⅛. **Australia 5 p.c. Stock**—99⅛, ⅛, ⅛. **Aerated Bread**—28/3, 7½d., 9d., 3d. **African and Eastern** (x.d.)—26/9. **Allied Newspapers Ord.**—43/3, 9d., 1½d., 6d., 4½d., 7½d., 4/3, 4/-, 1½d., 6d., 3/9. **Amalgamated Press**—44/6, 4/-. **Anglo-Dutch Rubber** (x.d.)—54/6, 4½d. **Associated Cement** 17/3, 17/-, 4½d., 1½d. **Associated Newspapers Def.**—6⅛, ⅛, £6 18/3. **Beecham Estates Pref.**—21/6, 3d., 1/-. **Bovril Def.** (x.d.)—40/6. **Brazilian Traction**—115, 14, ⅛, ⅛, 15½, 16, 14½, 15½, 16½, 14½, ⅛, 15½, ⅛, 16½. **British-American Tobacco**—95/-, 6d., 3d., 4½d., 1½d., 9d., 7½d., 6/- 3d., 9d., 5/10½, 3d., 6/6, *9d., 1½d., 4/10½. **British Oil and Cake**—26/3. **Bryant and May**—48/1½, 7/6. **Buenos Ayres Great Southern**—98½, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, 8, ⅛. **Calico Printers**—30/6. **Canadian Pacific**—*170½, 68½, 9½, *70, 68½, *9½, *½. **Central Argentine Cons.**—74½, 5, 4½, ⅛. **Coats**—61/6, 3d., *60/9, 1/-, *60/10½, 1/9. **Cook (St. Paul's) Ord.**—18/-; **do. Part. Pref.**—21/3. **Courtaulds**—5⅞, ⅞, ⅞, ⅞, 53-64, 51-64, ⅞, 55-64. **Courtaulds Pref.** 19/3½. **Grosse and Blackwell**—2/9. **Crosses and Winkworth Pref.**—5/10½, 11½d. **Cunard Ord.**—17/10½, 9d., 6d. **Cunard Debentures**—96½, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛. **"Daily Mail" Ord.** (2/-)—57/6, 8/-, 1½d., 7/9, 6/10½, 7/-. **"Daily Mirror" Ord.**—6⅞, 23-64. **Dunlop Ord.**—28/7½, 4½d., 6d., 9d., 3d., 5½d., 6½d., 5½d. **Dunlop 8 p.c. Debs.**—*103, 4, *3½. **Elder-Dempster 6 p.c. Pref.**—18/1½, 3d. **English Sewing Cotton**—52/-, 1/6, 9d., 2/9, 6d. **Fine Cotton Spinners**—45/-, 6/-, 5/3, 7½d. **General Electric Ord.**—30/3, 4½d., 30/-, 1½d; **do. Debs.**—106½, 7½, 7. **East Asiatic** (x.d.)—4/6, 5½d. **German 7 p.c. External Loan**—105, 4½. **Grand Central Rubber**—49/9, 50/-. **Grand Trunk Pacific 4 p.c. Debs.**—51, 50½, 50, ⅛, 1½, 50½, 1½. **Great Western Rail** (x.d.)—88½, 8, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, 8, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛. **Great Western 5 p.c. Pref.** (x.d.) 94, 3½, *4, 4½, ⅛, ⅛. **Greek 7 p.c. Refugee**—92½, 2, ⅛, ⅛. **Grout Ord.**—51/-, 3d. **Guinness Ord.**—657½. **Harland and Wolff Pref.**—14/7½, 15/1½, 14/9, 10½d., 15/-. **Harrods Ord.**—47/-, 6/6. **Hudson's Bay Ord.**—5⅞, *⅛, ⅛, £5 9/6, 5⅞. **Hungarian 7½ p.c., 1924** (x.d.)—100½, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛. **Imperial Tobacco**—113/4½, 3d., 12/9, 13/1½, 12/10½, 6d., *13/3, 9d., *12/6, 13/10½, 12/7½, 14/-, 13/1½, 4½d.; **do. Canada**—25/-, 3d. **Lever 7 p.c. Pref.**—19/9, 7½d., 6d., *3d., 5½d., 4½d.; **do. 8 p.c. Pref.**—18/8¼, 6d., 9d., 6¾d., 3d., 9d. **Lipton Ord.**—14/-. **Lister Ord.**—22/9, 3/-, 3d. **London Asiatic Rubber**—6/8½, 6d., 8½d., 7½d. **London, Midland and Scottish Ord.** (x.d.)—73½, ⅛, ⅛, 3⅛, 2½, 3½, *2½, 3⅛, ⅛. **London and N.E. Pref. Ord.**—*53½, ⅛, 4½, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, *⅛, ⅛, ⅛, 4; **do. Def. Ord.**—17½, ⅛, ⅛, *⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛. **Lyons (J.) and Co. Ord.**—76/3. **Malayalam Rubber**—44/-, 3/4½. **Marconi Ord.**—14/9, 6d., 7½d., 3d., 5½d.; **do. Debs.**—98½; **do. Canada**—3/8½, 6½d. **Maypole Def.**—5/2½, 4½d., 3½d. **Metropolitan Rail** (x.d.)—63½, ⅛, 4½, 4. **Nobel Indus.**—28/9. **Parent Ord.**—20/-. **Peruvian Corp. Pref.**—49½, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, 9. **Phillips (Godfrey) Ord.**—5⅛, ⅛, 19-64, ⅛. **Prov. Cinema Theatres**—14/6, 2½d., 3d. **Radio Corp. Pref.**—9⅞. **Rubber Trust**—44/3, 4/-. **Selfridge Ord.**—30/-; **do. Pref.**—23/6. **Southern Rail Pref. Ord.** (x.d.)—78½, ⅛; **do. Def. Ord.**—45½, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, *⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛. **Sudan Plantations**—*91/3, 90/-, 89/4½, 7/3, 90/-. **Swedish Match "B"**—14⅛, ⅛. **Underground Income Bonds**—103½, ⅛. **Union Cold Storage 8 p.c. Pref.**—19/-, 18/9, 10d., 19/-, 1½d. **United Dairies**—32/9, 6d., 7½d. **United Serdang Rubber**—7/1½, 3d., 7/-. **United Tobacco**—92/4½, 6d. **Vickers**—9/0½, 9/-, 1½d., 3d., 8/10½, 9/2½, 4½d., 8/10½. **Watney Combe Def.** (x.d.)—259½, 7½, 9, 61, 4. **Westminster Bank**—18½, ⅛, ⅛.

(*Exceptional bargain at special price.)

AVOIDANCE OF TRADE DISPUTES.

SHIPYARD WORKERS' STEP.

At a meeting of the Federation of Shipbuilding Trade Unions, held at York yesterday, several questions respecting the industry were discussed. Chief among them was an agreement for the avoidance of disputes, which had been negotiated between the employers' and the workers' federations, and instructions were given that it should be signed at an early date.

A lengthened controversy between the Federation and other organisations on the membership of railway workshop employés was again brought up, and the opinion was expressed that the settlement of all outstanding problems would be reached by the acceptance of the membership agreement and the proposed agreement for national machinery for dealing with disputes within the industry.

The mining dispute and its reference to industry in shipbuilding and engineering centres was discussed, and it was resolved to express the admiration of the Federation of the miners' resistance to a reduction of the standard of living, "realising that any increase in hours or reduction in already low wages would reflect itself in every other industry."

RECENT IRISH WILLS.

Mr. Charles Johnston, J.P., of Beechcote, Portadown, Co. Armagh, linen manufacturer, who died intestate on the 25th of May, 1923, left personal estate in Great Britain and Northern Ireland valued at £24,911 2s. 3d. Letters of administration of the property have been granted to his widow, Mrs. Marian Paul Johnston, of Beechcote.

Mr. John Magurran, of Avenue road, Lurgan, Co. Armagh, retired farmer, who died on the 26th of May last, left personal estate in Great Britain and Northern Ireland valued at £5,032 0s. 11d. Letters of administration of the property have been granted to his widow, Mrs. Beatrice Magurran.

Mr. Samuel Huston Mackey, of The Mount, Ballyclare, Co. Antrim, retired farmer, who died on the 14th of February last, left personal estate in Great Britain and Northern Ireland valued at £1,875 12s. 4d. Probate of his will, dated the 25th of March, 1919, with a codicil, has been granted to John Jackson Baird, of Lower Holestone, Doagh, farmer, and Robert Carry, of Green House, Ballyclare. The testator left £50 each to the executors of the will, and the residue of the property in trust for his wife for life, and then £150 each to Jane Gilmer and James Martin, £100 each to Annie Martin and John Martin, and the residue of the property to Maggie Coleman, John Jackson Baird, William Holmes and Maggie McKinney.

COMPANY MEETING.

JOHN POWER & SON, LTD.

THE CRUSHING SPIRITS DUTY.

The sixth annual general meeting of this company was held yesterday at the offices of Messrs. Stokes Bros. and Pim, 36 College Green, Dublin.

The Chairman, Sir Thomas Talbot Power, Bart., D.L., presided. The other directors present were:—The Right Hon. Sir Stanley Harrington, P.C.; Mr. Joseph X. Murphy, Mr. B. T. O'Reilly, Mr. William Ryan, Mr. Lewis Farrell, and Mr. Henry J. O'Reilly.

The Secretary read the notice convening the meeting and auditors' report.

The Chairman said:—As the directors' report and accounts for the year ending 30th June, 1926, have been in your hands for some weeks, it is unnecessary for me to review the figures, except to say that, although the net profits for this year show an increase as compared with 1925, this, unfortunately, is not caused by increased sales, but is mainly due to curtailment of general and manufacturing expenses.

At our last meeting, you will recollect, I called your attention to the difficulties under which the pot still distilleries were working, owing to continuation of duty at the extraordinarily high rate of 72s. 6d. per gallon.

This high duty was imposed as a war measure, and, while it is true that for some years after the war, when money was circulating in a fictitiously free manner, it was possible to maintain the average sale of whiskey, yet now, when in other respects we are coming back to pre-war levels, it is absolutely impossible to maintain sales with a retail price of 1s. 8d. per glass, no less than 10d. of which is represented by duty.

When the Finance Bill was before the Senate on the 7th July last, an eminent authority stated "that, if the spirits duty be not reduced, it would be only a question of time until the consumption would be so small that it would not support any of the distilleries now existing." With reasonable treatment by the Government, the distilling industry could be kept alive, with undoubted advantage to the farmers, workers and investing public.

The Government, those engaged in the distilling trade, the farmers and barley growers in Ireland are equally interested in the business, and the Government must see that with the rapidly falling revenue, caused by the excessively high taxation of 72s. 6d. per gallon on Irish pot still whiskey, immediate relief is necessary in order to restore that revenue, aid agricultural interests, and maintain the distilling industry.

DISTILLING RESUMED THIS WINTER.

Our stocks of old whiskey are ample, and, this being so, it was not considered prudent, when the fall in consumption generally was taken into consideration, to manufacture during last season; but, as you are, of course, aware, it is necessary to preserve continuity, so that distilling on a moderate scale will be resumed during the coming winter.

Every possible economy has been practised, and your Board continue to give this their special attention.

The efficiency of your distillery is in the highest possible state, and I hope that before we meet again the Government will have reviewed the position and given the distilling industry the relief to which it is justly entitled.

May I impress upon you the importance of favouring our home production, distilled from malt and corn grown solely in Ireland, thereby helping your own interests and those so closely allied with them?

I now have pleasure in moving the adoption of the directors' report and accounts for the year ended 30th June, 1926.

Sir Stanley Harrington seconded the motion.

Mr. J. X. Murphy proposed, and Mr. W. J. Walsh seconded, that a final dividend be paid on the Preference Shares at the rate of 8 per cent. per annum for half-year ended 30th June, 1926 (less income tax).

The retiring directors and auditors were re-elected.

Mr. Richard Eustace proposed, and Mr. Edward White seconded, a vote of thanks to the Chairman, directors and staff, which the Chairman acknowledged.

LARGE REVERSION TO CHARITIES.

WEALTHY MAN'S BEQUESTS TO SERVANTS.

Major James Joicey, J.P., of Poulton Priory, Fairford, Gloucestershire, formerly of Tanfield, Durham, and lately a director of the Midland and South-Western Junction Railway Co., who died on last July 6th, aged 65 years, son of the late Mr. James Joicey, of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, and of Tanfield, Durham, left unsettled property of the gross value of £188,123 1s. 8d., with net personalty £65,097 11s. 2d. Probate of his will, dated last October 30th, with two codicils, has been granted to Mr. Thomas Kirkland Rylands, land agent, of The Down House, Torkington, and Mr. Allan Aylmer Luxmoore, solicitor, of 5 North Bailey, Durham.

The testator left an annuity of £65 to his stud groom, Albert Feltham, and his wife, or the survivor of them; an annuity of £65 similarly to his former butler, William J. Booth, and his wife; an annuity of £50 to his groom, Thomas Cook; an annuity of £26 to E. J. Tolley, formerly housekeeper to the Rev. Richard Arnold; £200 to his farm manager, James Thomson, if still in his service; £100 similarly to his chauffeur, Percy Cook; £50 similarly to his cook, Isabel Cook; £25 similarly to his wife's maid, Dorothy Banks. He directed that his remains should be cremated, and the ashes distributed in Ready Token Cover (a part of the Poulton Priory estate); that no hearse, coaches, or black horses, or any sign of mourning whatsoever, should be used or employed in connection with the removal of his remains, or in consideration of regard or respect for him or his memory, and that the Ready Token Cover should not be sold.

To his wife, Mrs. Mariska Christobel Joicey, he left £10,000 and his consumable stores absolutely; £500 each, in addition to professional charges, to Thomas Kirkland Rylands and Allan Aylmer Luxmoore, as executors; and an annuity during spinsterhood of £400, clear of tax, to his stepdaughter, Magda Grace Joicey, or, in the event of her marriage with the consent of his trustees, he left £6,000 upon trust for her benefit. All other his property he left to his wife for life (with certain powers of appropriation of capital), and, subject thereto, £250 to the Fairford Cottage Hospital; £1,500 each to his brother-in-law, Robert Squarey Fulton; his nephew, Robin Joicey Fulton, and each of his nieces, Muriel Rickman and Eveline Dodgson; £8,500 upon trust for his nephew, Robin Joicey Fulton, and his issue, and the ultimate residue upon trust for his sister, Emily Jane Fulton, for life, with remainder to such charities or charitable objects as his wife may appoint, and, failing appointment, then as his trustees, in their absolute discretion, shall decide, having regard to his own known previous wishes.

THE "DEAD MAN'S HAND."

ELECTRIC TRAIN MOTORMAN'S FATE.

At an inquest at Newcastle last night on William Skinner, electric train motorman, found dead on the London and North-Western Railway at Heaton, two miles from the scene of a collision between his run-away train and a stationary goods train, it was stated that the controlling gear known as the "dead man's hand" had been found fastened with handkerchiefs, a very unusual occurrence.

The jury found that the deceased man died from a fractured skull, caused by his head having come into contact with a bridge while looking out of the window.

DUBLIN SHIPPING REPORT.

Barometer—At 5 p.m. 29.50.

Foreign Arrivals—Ss. Durazzo, of Hamburg, 484 tons register (Captain Luning), from Hamburg, with general cargo; discharging at Transit Shed, Britain quay; ss. Arethusa, of Glasgow, 193 tons register (Captain Galloway), from Rouen, with a cargo of cement; discharging at City quay.

Coastwise Arrivals—Ss. Lady Longford, from Liverpool, with passengers and goods; ss. Slieve Gallion, ss. South Stack, from Holyhead, with goods; ss. Lady Brussels, from Liverpool, with goods; ss. Sheerness, from Glasgow, with goods; ss. Clareisland, from Manchester, with empties.

Foreign Departures—Ss. Trito, of Rotterdam, 373 tons register (Captain Boll), for Rotterdam, via Belfast, with general cargo; ss. Salazar, of Bilbao, 1,865 tons register (Captain Awiz), for Norfolk (Va), light.

Coastwise Departures—Ss. Lady Longford, for Liverpool, with passengers and goods; ss. Puma, for Glasgow, with passengers and goods; ss. Slieve Gallion, ss. South Stack, for Holyhead, with goods; ss. Sheerness, for Waterford and Cork, with goods; ss. Clareisland, for Manchester, with porter; ss. Ben Varrey, for Barrow, with empties; ss. Velinheli, for Carnarvon, light.

U.S. MARKETS.

STOCKS CLOSED FIRM.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.)

NEW YORK, Wednesday.

Stocks at the opening ruled irregular. Railroads were consistently strong, Union Pacifics touching 159¼, the highest price for twelve years, and Chesapeake and Ohio 153⅜, Chicago Rock Island 63¼ and Pere Marquette 104⅛, all "records"; but Industrials were subjected to intermittent selling until in the final dealings, when the buoyancy of Radio Corporation and Motor shares caused a general rebound. U.S. Steel Common early touched 152¼. Bears utilising the intimations that there will be no stock dividends this year as lessening the hopes of rumoured special payments by other companies. The "cut" in the Cuban American Sugar Company's quarterly dividend, the maintenance of firm money rates and failure of the strength of railroads to sustain other issues caused some early losses of 3 to 4 points, and National Tea fell 12 points. In the last few minutes Mack Trucks advanced 5 and Pierce Arrow Preferred 7½, and the market closed firm. Government Bonds irregular; Railroad Bonds irregular. The day's sales totalled 1,740,000 shares.

Money on call closed steady at 4½ p.c. bid and 4¾ p.c. asked. All business was transacted at 4½ p.c. Prime Mercantile Paper was quoted at 4½ p.c. Sterling exchange steady. Silver ⅛c. higher at 62.

Gold to the value of $2,500,000 has been engaged for export to Berlin, and $140,000 in gold for shipment to the Straits Settlements.

	Wed.	Tues.
Call Money	4½b. 4½a	4½b. 4½a
Exchange on Lon 60 days sight	4.81½	4.81½
Do. do. Demand Bills	4.85⅛	4.85⅛
Cable Transfers	4.86⅛	4.86
Do. Montreal	4.85⅛	4.85¼
Exchange Paris, cable	2.85	2.82

Eng. Parity.	Stocks.	Closing Bid Prices. Wed	Business Done. Tues
105⅛	U.S. Funded	102⅛	102¼
151⅛	Atchison, Topeka, Santa Fe	148⅞	148¼
102⅞	Do. Pref.	100	99⅞
11⅞	Baltimore and Ohio	104¼	104
169½	Canadian Pacific	165	164
12½	Chicago, Milwaukee, & St. Paul	12½	12¼
78⅛	Chicago and North-West	76¾	74
34⅜	Erie Shares	33⅜	33½
44½	Erie 1st Preferred	43⅜	43¼
126	Illinois Central	122½	123
140⅛	Louisville and Nashville	137	133¼
37⅛	Missouri, Kansas, and Texas	37⅛	36⅛
40	Missouri Pacific New	39½	39
141⅞	New York C'tral & Hudson R.	137⅞	137½
165⅛	Norfolk and West Com.	163½	162
79⅛	Northern Pacific Com.	77	76¼
56⅛	Pennsylvania Shares	54¾	55⅛
98⅛	Reading Shares	95¾	95
41⅛	Do. Pref.	40¼	40¾
124⅛	Southern Railway	121	120¾
110⅛	Southern Pacific	107⅜	106¼
163⅛	Union Pacific	158⅝	156⅝
82⅛	Do. Pref.	80½	80
152¾	American Smelt. and Refining	148⅛	149¼
51⅛	Anaconda Copper	50⅝	50¼
23⅛	Brit.-American Tobacco Coupon	23⅛	22⅞
111¾	New York Consolidated Gas	108⅝	109⅜
94⅛	General Electric (New Stock)	92⅜	92½
165⅛	National Lead	160⅛	162
158⅛	United States Steel Common	154⅛	156½
131⅛	Do. Pref.	128	128
49⅞	Bethlehem Steel Com. Stock	47¼	47⅛
211⅛	General Motors (New)	205⅜	204¼
6⅛	Inter. Mer Marine Com. Certs.	6⅛	6⅛
29⅛	Do. Pref. Certs.	29	29
43⅛	Shell Ordinary	42¼	42
68⅛	Pan-American Petroleum "B"	67	67
18⅛	Anglo-American Oil	17⅝	17¼
29⅛	Shell Union Oil Corp.	28⅛	28⅛
61⅛	U.S. Rubber	59⅛	60⅛
60⅛	American Can. (New Stock)	58⅞	59⅛
35	International Pet. of Canada	34	34
—	Silver Commercial Bars	62	61¾
	BONDS.		
94½	Atch. Top. New 4% Gen. Mort	91¾	92
73.4	Erie Rail. Gen. 4% Lien Bonds	71	71¼
94⅛	Union Pacific 4% Bonds	93⅛	93½
109⅛	U.S. Steel 2nd Mort. 5% Bonds	106⅛	106⅛
121⅛	U.K. 5½ per cent. Bonds, 1929	118⅛	118⅛
108	Do. Do. 1937	105	105
108⅛	7 per cent. German Loan	105⅛	105

* Asked; † Ex div.; ‡ Ex interest; § Ex rights.

NEW YORK PRODUCE MARKETS.

WHEAT—Spot firm, 2¼c. to 1¼c. lower.

	To-day.	Prev. day.
No. 2 Hard Winter, spot	152⅞	149⅞
No. 2 Red Winter, spot	144¼	143
No. 2 Mixed Durum, spot	153¾	152
No. 1 Northern Manitoba, spot	168⅞	167

Futures firm, 1¼c. to ⅛c. up. Closing options—September, 138⅜; December, 143½; May, 148½.

Sales for exports—25 boatloads.

RYE firm, 1¼c. higher. No. 2 spot, 109.

Sales for export—Nil.

BARLEY steady and unaltered. American malting, 75.

MAIZE firm, 2⅛c. higher.

	To-day.	Prev. day.
Western No. 2 mixed spot	92¾	89⅞

Sales for export—Nil.

LARD firm and 15 points higher. Prime Western steam, 15.70; Middle West, 15.50 to 15.60.

FLOUR steady. Spring clears, 100 per cent., 7.25 to 7.75.

FREIGHTS.

Heavy grain to Great Britain, per quarter, 1/9 to 3/-.

Heavy grain to Continent, per 100lbs., 10c, to 12c.

Cotton—High density to Great Britain, per 100lbs., 30c.

Cotton—Standard bales to Great Britain, per 100lbs., 45c.

PETROLEUM steady.

	To-day.	Prev. day.
Standard White in cases	19.65	19.65
Standard White in barrels	16.25	16.25
Do. Philadelphia	16.25	16.25
Mid-Continent Crude	33-33.9	33-33.9
Pennsylvania Crude	2.85-3.40	2.85-3.40

RUBBER quiet, but steady. First latex crepe, spot 38⅞ buyers; smoked ribbed sheets, 38⅞ buyers, 39⅛ sellers.

BURLAPS easy. Hessian cloth, light-weight, 6.65; heavy-weight, 8.30.

COFFEE—

Options—	Sept.	Dec.	Jan.	Mar.	May	July
To-day	18.06	17.26	17.00	16.60	16.10	15.75
Prev. day	18.13	17.25	17.00	16.56	16.02	15.74

SUGAR barely steady, 3 points to 1 point lower. Centrifugal Cuban spot steady and unchanged; 96 test centrifugal Cuban, 4.27 asked. Approximate day's sales—47,000 tons.

Options—	Sept.	Dec.	Jan.	Mar.	May.	July
To-day	2.44	2.60	2.65	2.67	2.75	2.83
Prev. day	2.47	2.63	2.67	2.68	2.76	2.84

TALLOW steady. Extra loose, 8½.

TURPENTINE—Spirits of turpentine, 95½; Savannah spirits of turpentine, 88½.

METALS.—Tin steady, 25 points dearer; spot, 65.00; future option, 63.87½; Tin Plates, 5.50. Lead steady, 8.90. Zinc steady and unaltered; East St. Louis, spot, 7.40. Iron steady; No. 2 American Northern Foundry, 19.00 to 20.50; Bessemer Steel Rails, 43.

WINNIPEG GRAINS.

Wheat opened steady, ⅛c. to ⅛c. up, and closed firm, 1¼c. to 1⅛c. higher; opening options—October 137½, December 135½, May 140½; closing options—October 138⅞, December 136½, May 141½. Rye firm, ⅛c. to 1⅛c. dearer; closing options—October 97½, December 99½. Oats steady, ⅛c. up; closing options—October 47½, December 46⅞. Barley steady, ⅛c. higher; closing options—October 62⅞, December 61½. Flaxseed firm, 1c. dearer; closing options—October 216½, December 215½.

Wheat receipts (carlots)	To-day.	Prev. day.
No. 1 Northern	1	3
No. 2 Northern	10	12
No. 3 Northern	2	13
No. 4 Northern	—	1
Other grades	1	4
Total	14	33

NEW YORK COTTON.

COTTON was firm and quotations 11 to 6 points higher at the starting of business. The market closed steady at the initial advance. Spot quiet and 10 points up.

Spot, middling upland at New York, 18.30.

Spot, middling upland at New Orleans, 17.80.

Receipts—Atlantic ports, 1,000 bales; Gulf, 8,000; Pacific, nil; interior towns, 1,000. Exports—Great Britain, nil; Continent, 9,000 bales; Japan, nil.

CHICAGO MARKETS.

CHICAGO, Wednesday.

WHEAT opened steady, ⅛c. to ⅛c. down. After early steadiness the market eased under selling by North-West operators and local professionals, owing to the increasing stocks; but later reports that excessive rains were hampering the harvesting in the North-West and fears of further rains brought active covering and commission house buying. The close was firm at 1¼c. to 1c. advance. Spot irregular.

	To-day.	Prev. day.
No. 2 Hard Winter spot	136⅞	136¾
No. 3 Hard Winter spot	133	136⅛

	Sept.	Dec.	May
Futures—Opening options—			
To-day	134¾	138½	143¼
Prev. day	135	139⅞	145⅛
Futures—Closing options—			
To-day	135¾	139½	144½
Prev. day	134	138½	143¾

MAIZE was barely steady and ⅛c. to ⅛c. lower at the opening. The market closed firm at ⅛c. to ⅛c. gain. No. 2, spot, unquoted.

	To-day.	Prev. day.	
Spot No. 2 mixed	—	79⅞	
Futures—Opening options—	Sept.	Dec.	May
To-day	79½	84¾	90
Prev. day	79⅞	85	90¾
Futures—Closing options—	Sept.	Dec.	May
To-day	80¾	85⅝	91¼
Prev. day	79⅞	84½	90⅛

OATS firm, ⅛c. to ⅛c. higher.

Futures—Closing options—	Sept.	Dec.	May
To-day	39½	43	46⅞
Prev. day	38⅞	42½	46⅛

RYE—Futures steady, 1c. to ⅛c. up. Spot 2¼c. cheaper. No. 2, spot, 97½.

Futures—Closing options—	Sept.	Dec.	May
To-day	98	102⅞	109¾
Prev. day	97	102	—

PROVISIONS at the opening were steady. Favourable advices from Europe encouraged covering by the shorts, and the light offerings and reactionary buying helped the upward movement. The market closed steady, with lard futures 10 to 12½ and spot 12½ points up. Ribs gained 12½ to 15 points. Lard, spot, 14.95.

Lard—Closing options—	Sept.	Oct.	Jan.
To-day	15.05	15.17½	13.90
Prev. day	14.95	15.07½	13.77½

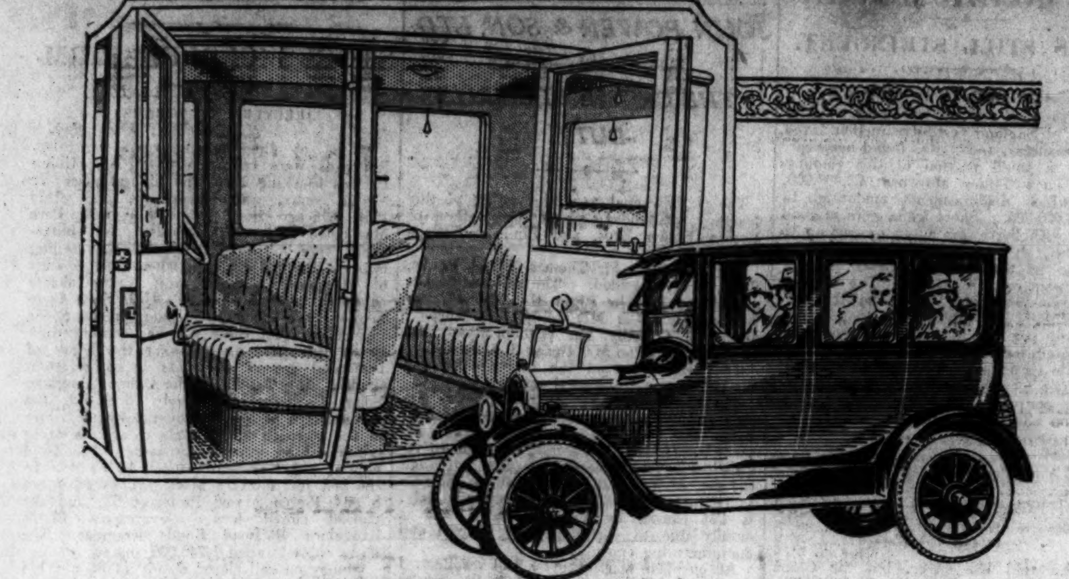
Ribs—Closing options	Sept.	Oct.	Dec.
To-day	14.50	13.95	—
Prev. day	14.37½	13.80	—

BACON steady and unchanged. Short ribbed sides (60lbs. average), 15.00.

HOGS steady, with light sorts 15 and heavy 10 points dearer. Light hogs, 12.65 to 13.65; heavy hogs, 11.80 to 12.80.

	To-day.	Same day last year
Receipts—Western Cities	73,000	77,000
" Chicago	11000	15,000

The receipts of hogs at 15 principal Western centres, including Chicago, since March 1, total (amended) 11,958,000, against 13,102,000 for the same season last year.



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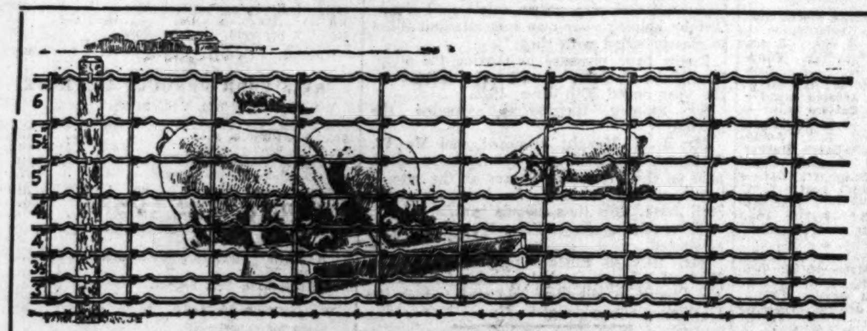

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On the assumption that the production of the creameries is standardised, improvements in the marketing of butter could be effected by the centralisation of manufacture in the case of new creameries: the establishment of a central organisation of creameries whose butter will carry a Government guarantee of quality.

It is also proposed by Mr. D. Hegarty, secretary of the Irish Creamery Managers' Association, that such central organisation would fix quotations, regulate supplies, check underselling, and arrange special terms for cold storage, etc.

The advisability of establishing a trading association for the sale of rolls under a common trade mark might be considered.

Among the advantages of such a system, writes Mr. Hegarty, would be the following:

Creameries would to some extent become independent of the large importers or purchasers of their bulk product whose inclinations will always be to handle, not so much the product which is of the best quality, but, provided it is reasonably uniform, the butter that yields them the most profit.

The possibility of foreign or inferior butters being substituted by retailers or sold as Irish creamery would be entirely eliminated.

It would be the only way in which the identity of the butter could, with absolute certainty, be preserved until it reached the consumer, who, if satisfied with the article, would insist on being supplied with it.

The tendency of the better off classes to buy packet goods is continually increasing, and, therefore, with a reasonable amount of pushing such a trade would develop gradually and eventually absorb a very large proportion of our make.

The roll trade would give greater employment at the creameries. It would eventually absorb all the make of the smaller creameries, and help to keep many such struggling concerns going, and in a position to pay satisfactory prices for milk.

None of the plans herein proposed need disturb, to any great extent, the freedom of sale which at present exists, or the valuable connections which the creameries have acquired by long years of good salesmanship. To throw these connections into the melting pot of any organisation would be as impracticable as it would be unnecessary and uneconomic.

MORE LIVE STOCK IN ENGLAND.

For the fifth year in succession the number of cattle in England and Wales shows an increase, and this year's number is the largest on record. Since 1921 the herds of the country have been increased by 736,000. Cows and heifers in milk or in calf number 35,800 more than the previous record number of 1925. There are more young stock under a year old on the farms than in any pre-war year.

A further good increase is recorded in the flocks, and the total number of sheep and lambs is now only 400,000, or less than 2½ per cent., smaller than in 1914. Increases are general throughout the country, very few counties showing reductions. The number of pigs on agricultural holdings shows a further decline this year, but the reduction is relatively smaller in the case of breeding sows than in other pigs, an evidence that farmers had begun to keep on more gilts for breeding than was the case a few months before the date of the census.

The number of horses on agricultural holdings is again reduced, but the decline in breeding has not been so rapid as in the past few years. The number of foals does, however, show an appreciable decrease, but the decline of 3,900 compares with reductions of 10,000, 11,500 and 17,500 in the three previous years.

PROFITABLE DAIRY HEIFERS.

With a view to improving the breed of dairy cattle, the Co. Cork Committee of Agriculture have offered prizes for heifers in their first lactation period, and that calved at three years or under. The yields of milk and butter-fat for a period not exceeding 45 weeks were taken into account. It was a condition that heifers should not only qualify for registration in yield of milk and butter-fat, but that they should be of a size, symmetry and general appearance with well-formed udders to permit of their acceptance for registration in the spring of 1926.

The results show that twenty-four heifers qualified for the competition. Four yielded between 9,000 and 10,000lb. each; four between 800 and 1,000 gallons, four between 800 and 900 gallons each, six between 700 and 800 gallons, and ten between 600 and 700 gallons.

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Group of Registered Dairy Cows at Kanturk Show.

RESEARCH.

THE FARM AND THE UNIVERSITIES.

The result of Ireland's (probably, indeed, it is Europe's) greatest Horse Show has been to produce amongst us a commendable return to self-confidence, following on an inevitable phase of self-distrust; but it will be foolish if we allow this new, necessary and, indeed, creative mood to degenerate into a tendency towards self-satisfaction, such as that we fault so often in our British neighbours. There are many reasons why a comparison between what is done for the industry of farming in the sister island—greatly as it falls behind the efforts of our Continental rivals—should stir us rather towards self-examination, and even a little healthy self-reproach, than towards a heady spirit of self-congratulation. It may be true in the main that, so far as Governmental action is concerned, *Saorstat Eireann* is in some respects in the van of the State policy of these islands.

Irish Eggs and Milk.

In the West of England, for instance, where, we hear, the Irish egg is broken at the breakfast table to better advantage than the native product, an Egg and Poultry Merchants' Association at Taunton last month urged on the British Ministry of Agriculture the adoption of methods foreshadowed, indeed, by the British Government, but actually practised by both Governments in Ireland. British County Councils, again, in interesting themselves in a pure milk supply, are taking some pages out of an Irish book. But if Britain is—to her disadvantage—behind the Continental nations in these matters, and even, perhaps, a little in our own wake, there seems reason to think that in those departments of organised effort which she has made specifically her own, England, and Wales, too, are well ahead of this country. We refer especially to those aspects of the application of the agricultural sciences to farm practice in which non-governmental agencies are at work, individual cultural initiative and organised effort working hand in hand.

Advancement of Science.

This is seen more spectacularly in the annual demonstrations of the British Association for the Advancement of Science than elsewhere, and the discussion on Sir Daniel Hall's address to the Association last week—already dealt with in an *Irish Times* editorial—is only one of many evidences that the men in the front rank of agricultural research in England are alive to the exigencies of the farmer and the public in their relations to each other—a subject of more fundamental interest, not only to these islands, but of the world, than the fate of the franc, and scarcely less important than the cause of world peace. But we do not need to consider the work of the annual parliament of British science to realise that English workers in the fields of applied science are leaving their countrymen and ours under almost daily debt of admiring gratitude for effective work done on farming. It is not mere chance that Cambridge should be the location of the Institute of Animal Nutrition, where Professor Wood and Dr. Marshall work on principles of feeding and breeding, which are of far-reaching interest to farm students to-day, and will be the methods adopted—slightly modified perhaps—by farm workers to-morrow; or that Sir Rowland Biffen, of whose work we wrote a fortnight ago, should in another Cambridge institution be working towards an improvement in our cereal crops.

Electricity and Agriculture.

It is from Cambridge, too, that the knowledge comes which guides Professor Dampier Whetham, F.R.S., in an excellent, if brief, *résumé* in the current *Journal* of the Ministry of Agriculture (London) of the present position of the relation of electricity to agriculture. And it is a like recognition of the natural relations between cultivation and culture, the treatment of the farm, and the more delicate processes of manuring the soil with one's brains, that places the Institute of Agricultural Economics in Oxford, and gives its director, Mr. C. S. Orwin, a right to speak with authority, and with a measured but genuine optimism on the improving prospects of the British small holder. These universities have recognised the inter-dependence of soil culture and mind culture.

From these centres of practical learning it is only the remove of a degree to the practical work done by the colleges of rural towns, such as Bangor and Aberystwith, where we have been assured valuable results attend upon research. Even a casual consideration of this must show that the over-industrialisation of Britain, if it is not free of danger to civilisation through its "lop-sided tendency to neglect farming," is a disease which develops a natural anti-toxin. Our own educational backwardness in matters of agricultural research—originally, perhaps, a result of the failure of legislators and others to distinguish a nation of farmers from a nation of shopkeepers, between whom reciprocal interests were confused with identical interests—has been intensified during the past decade, in which much good work has been done in England, by our absorption first in political and now in directly practical issues.

Research Necessary.

We believe, however, that the time has come when the minds of Irish researchers and the brains of those who apply research to practical life should be intensively directed towards our own farm problems. We understand that the National University, especially the Cork College, is interesting itself in dairying research. Nothing could be of a more immediate utility. There is a wide field in dairy bacteriology awaiting mental tillage, and which would, we are convinced, yield the country fruitful and remunerative harvests. It is to the good that the Government should realise this, and encourage the National University to pursue this path of investigation. Ours is not a country in which there are anything like equal opportunities with Great Britain for the intervention in culture or research of munificent private donors to endow chairs or reward inquiry. There is the more need, therefore, of Government patronage, though it must not be forgotten that such patronage—inevitably hedged round with conditions—involves the danger of checking initiative and narrowing the range of inquiry.

Cultivated Leadership.

To meet this danger, we think Irishmen of culture and goodwill who understand the Irish farmers' troubles, and realise that his power to help himself has rather severe limits in the modern world, should come to his aid. There are various ways in which this could be done, and they are mainly educational. Why should not some of the friends of Dublin University help it to maintain a friendly rivalry with the National in work upon the industry on which both of them and all of us ultimately depend? Why should not friends of the National vie with these (if they can be found) in a common national effort? Why, again, should not cultivated leadership be extended towards all the farming agencies? Could not the Farmers' Union benefit greatly from new infusion of young but trained and experienced minds? The Irish Agricultural Organisation Society has a *clientele* of individual supporters. It could with advantage be broadened and increased. The munificent example of its name-founder has given to the Horace Plunkett Foundation an Irish habitation. It, too, requires the help of those who can associate themselves with what is both a national need and an international agency to supply that need.

Marketing Methods.

There is the Royal Dublin Society, whose fine work furnished the starting point for this article, and there are its valuable, if less formidable, colleagues, the various show societies, whose excellent work we report from day to day, and more particularly the efficiently new Royal Ulster Agricultural Society. Even in naming these we do not exhaust the varying voluntary agencies at work in the interests of Irish farming. But we believe, having regard to the peculiar needs of a nation of small holders, that research with us may most fruitfully be directed towards economic fields. It will be vain to hope that Irish farming will do its part towards making two grains of wheat or oats grow where one grew before, if the farmer who markets them receives for two bushels the previous monetary equivalent of but one. That or something very like it is happening to-day, and, greatly as we need to pursue our studies of the natural sciences into directions calculated to increase our crops and multiply our live-stock, we need still more such a study of marketing methods and economic devices as will insure to the farmer the full reward of his labour.

A CLEAN MILK SUPPLY.

Milk producers in Britain on 1st October next will be subject to an Order for the purpose of ensuring a clean milk supply. With the exception of the regulations dealing with cattle disease, which are to be administered by the County Council or County Borough Council, the new Milk and Dairies Order, 1926, will be enforced and executed by the santitary authority.

All cowkeepers (*i.e.*, persons who keep one or more cows for the purpose of the supply of milk) and dairymen are required to be registered by the sanitary authority for their district, together with the premises, including cowsheds, milk stores, etc., which are used for the purpose of the sale or manufacture of milk. If at any time it is proposed to use buildings not hitherto used for the purpose, one month's notice in writing must be given to the sanitary authority

Ventilation of Cowsheds

Certain clauses of the Order specify requirements for the lighting and ventilation of cowsheds and dairies, the provision of a water supply, and the flooring and drainage of cowsheds. In the case of lighting, ventilation and water supply, eighteen months' "grace" is allowed after the service of a notice relating to buildings in use as cowsheds and dairies on 1st October, 1926; and in the case of cowshed flooring and drainage, this notice may not be given until 1st April, 1928, so that in effect over three years' "grace" is allowed

Cleanliness

As from the date of operation of the Order, milk producers will be required to carry out certain measures intended to secure cleanliness in the production and handling of milk on the farm, and its prevention from disease contamination. Milking must be carried out in "a good and proper light," the milking quarters of the cow and the hands of the milker must be cleaned, and milking must be dryhanded as far as practicable. Dung must be removed from milking sheds at least once a day, and cowsheds must be kept always "reasonably clean and sweet," and the walls and ceilings lime-washed or lime-sprayed or otherwise disinfected at least twice a year, in April or May and September or October. Milk vessels and appliances must be kept thoroughly clean, and for this purpose oxidising and preservative agents (*e.g.*, chlorine) are prohibited, except for mechanical milkers and similar appliances. Precautions have to be taken against subsequent contamination or infection of the milk; for example, it must not be kept in a kitchen or living room (except in the case of milk intended for use in the manufacture of butter, cream or cheese), and the vessels containing it must be properly covered. If a person engaged in milking or handling milk acquires an infectious disease, or has been in contact with an infectious "case," the medical officer of health may require him to keep away from his work until the risk of infecting the milk has passed. Further, if the medical officer has evidence that infectious disease is being conveyed by the milk, he is empowered—subject to certain limitations—to stop the supply for a period or periods of twenty-four hours; but should the notice be proved to be unjustified compensation may be claimed in respect of loss.

Milk Cooling

Another clause in the Order requires cowkeepers to cool milk without delay to a temperature not exceeding five degrees Fahrenheit higher than the temperature of the water supply available for cooling. Exceptions are allowed, however, (1) where the milk is sent forthwith to a collecting station and there cooled; (2) where the milk is used or sold for the manufacture of butter, cream, cheese, or other milk products; (3) where the milk is delivered to the consumer at least twice daily on the day of production; (4) where the milk is sold for retail delivery immediately after milking. Moreover, this "cooling" regulation does not come into operation until 1st April, 1927.

As regards cattle diseases, the Order makes it an offence to sell milk from cows suffering from (1) any comatose condition, (2) any septic condition of the uterus, (3) any infection of the udder or teats which is likely to convey disease. A local authority may serve a notice prohibiting the sale of such milk for a period or periods not exceeding five days.

FEEDING MILCH COWS ON GRASS.

Mr. W. D. Pounden, Ballywalter, Gorey, writes asking on what grounds "Brood Buchee" in his article, "Feeding Milch Cows on Pasture," asserts that barley has an adverse effect on the milk flow. This, he writes, is of importance to those who are doing all that is possible to use home grown foodstuffs. It is a set-back to farmers to see a mixture given which contains nothing but foreign grain. He adds:—

"It may interest some to know that "Hoard's Dairyman" recommends the use of a mixture of 7 parts barley, 2 parts oats, and 1 part bran, for feeding on pasture until early in July; and from that on the addition of some high protein containing meal. Some of us, at any rate, have had excellent results from following this advice."

BLACK SCAB IN POTATOES.

Mr. P. Ambrose Duffy, Dublin, writes that black scab is the most serious disease that has threatened the Irish potato industry. It can, he says, be given to the crop as it grows, and stopped or prevented at any given space. If, he adds, the seed was planted with the rose end up the disease could not be spread.

CANADIAN WHEAT POOL.

AN EXAMPLE FOR IRELAND.

In view of the fact that Irish farmers are being urged to adopt the principle of organised marketing, it is of interest to note that the farmers of Western Canada in less than three years have established the largest co-operative organisation of its kind in the world. The Canadian Wheat Pool, with its three units in the Provinces of Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta, now has a total membership of 125,000 farmers, who control 13,230,000 of the 21,000,000 acres sown to wheat last year in the three prairie provinces. It is handling the sale of the greater part of the wheat production of Canada, and Canada already exports more wheat than any other country in the world.

The first of the three wheat pools commenced business in the Province of Alberta in October, 1923, and at the close of the first pool year on July 15, 1924, had handled 34,500,000 bushels of wheat shipped by its members. The price realised by the pool was 1.01 2-3 dollars per bushel, basis "One Northern" in store Fort William. A comparison of this price with the outside market values shows that the pool was instrumental in securing to its members at least two million dollars more than would have been the case had the pool not been in operation.

A Grand Organisation

Meanwhile, Manitoba and Saskatchewan were organising pools. In the autumn of 1924 they had perfected provincial organisations, and the three provinces then merged their selling strength into one giant marketing organisation, known as "The Canadian Co-operative Wheat Producers, Limited," with headquarters in Winnipeg. This agency is incorporated under a Federal Charter, with very wide powers. Its function is to take delivery of the wheat from each of the respective provincial pools, and to place it on the markets of the world in such a manner as to secure a price commensurate with the natural law of supply and demand. Each of the three provincial pools is responsible for gathering the wheat of its own members, and placing it at the disposal of the Central Selling Agency, which is controlled by a board of nine directors, composed of the president, vice-president, and one director of each provincial pool.

The largest proportion of the wheat is sold by the Selling Agency to importers and buyers in different countries of the world, for the agency has direct selling connections with every wheat importing country and its own representatives in 51 ports of the world. The funds which accrue from the sales are disbursed to the members of the three Pools. This method of handling wheat provides a large volume through one agency and reduces the cost of operation to a minimum. In 1923 the Alberta Pool's operating costs amounted to approximately 2-5 of 1c. per bushel. In 1924 the cost to the Alberta members was slightly higher, but that the results were satisfactory in the main is evinced by the fact that over 3,000 new members have joined the Alberta Pool since the final payment for the 1924-1925 Pool went out.

A Big Transfer

Payment for wheat is made by the Pool to its members at an initial price at the time of delivery, and a final price at the close of the crop year, which is August 1st, or as soon after as possible. But if it is practicable and desirable the directors may make interim payments. Where the Pool does not own its own elevators arrangements have been made with elevator companies to take pool grain. Recently the Saskatchewan Pool bought the elevators of the Saskatchewan Elevator Company, another farmers' co-operative organisation. It was a big business venture, involving the transfer of 451 country elevators, 27 annexes, headquarters office building, two terminal elevators at Port Arthur, one at Buffalo, N.Y., lease of the Canadian National Railway terminal elevator at Port Arthur, and about thirty elevator agents' houses.

In Manitoba the pool is building 100 new elevators this year, and in Alberta elevators are being bought and built by the pool.

Long Term Contracts

The pool is able to acquire these properties, borrow money from the banks, and extend its plans over the future, because the members join under long term contracts, averaging five years. The membership fee in only 3 dollars, one dollar of which is for a capital share, and 2 dollars for organisation purposes.

AGRICULTURAL SCHOLARSHIPS.

The British Ministry of Agriculture has awarded ten scholarships and maintenance grants, tenable for three or four years at University Departments of Agriculture; ten tenable for two years at Agricultural Colleges and University Departments of Agriculture; and 113 scholarships for short courses at farm institutes. These are intended for the sons and daughters of agricultural workmen and others, and the occupations of the parents of the successful candidates are:—Agricultural workmen, 42; working bailiffs, 6; small-holders 39; other rural occupations (*e.g.*, harness-maker, gardener, roadman), 22. The remaining 25 candidates qualified on their own account as *bona fide* wage-earners in the agricultural industry. The total number of applications received was 526.

COMING EVENTS.

Aug. 25—Clogher Valley Show, Fivemiletown.
Aug. 25—Carrick-on-Shannon Show.
Aug. 26—Official Black-face Ram Sale, at Robson's, Belfast.
Aug. 29—All Ireland Sheep Dog Trials, Clonmel.
Aug. 31—Castlepollard Show.
Sept. 1—Cavan Show.
Sept. 1-2—Kilmallock Show.
Sept. 8—Ballinamore Show.
Sept. 8—Second Ram Sale, Dublin.
Sept. 8—Athenry Show.
Sept. 9—Wexford Show.
Sept. 14—Clones Show.
Sept. 15-17—International Sheep Dog Trials, York.
Sept. 15—Show and Sale of Galway Sheep, Athenry.
Sept. 16—Newcastle West Show.
Sept. 16—Kilkenny Autumn Show.
Sept. 16—Connemara Pony Breeders' Society Show, Carna, Co. Galway.
Sept. 22—Dairy Shorthorn Sale, Cork.
Sept. 23—Iverk Show.
Sept. 23-24—Border Leicester and Suffolk Sheep Show and Sale, at Allam's, Belfast.
Sept. 30—Pedigree Cattle Sale, 50 Prussia street.
Oct. 5—Mid-Ulster Shorthorn Sale, Cookstown.
Oct. 6—Royal Ulster Shorthorn Sale, Belfast.
Nov. 1—Athy Corn and Root Show.
Dec. 6—Navan Fat Stock Show and Sale.
Dec. 6—Co. Meath Fat Stock Show, Navan.
Dec. 8—Dublin Fat Stock Show.

ITEMS.

A bill is being drafted by the Northern Parliament with a view to securing the general sale of eggs by weight for trade purposes and the prohibition of the sale of stale and dirty eggs.

Pigs and poultry show a big increase in Northern Ireland, the number of poultry being eight million.

For supplying milk to creameries in dirty vessels several farmers have recently been fined.

The Northern Ministry of Agriculture has suspended the licences of several dealers in eggs.

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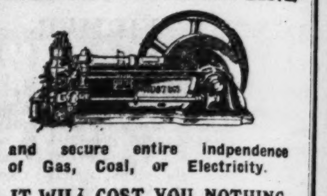

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ANGUS AND STORE CATTLE BREEDING.

Amongst pedigree stock breeders in Co. Meath one of the most progressive is Mr. Alex. Thom, Cullen House, Slane. This property has been in the Thom family for generations, and the name is also associated with a well-known Dublin Directory. During his father's lifetime the present owner travelled a lot, and spent twenty years in South Africa, where he farmed successfully and won many prizes with pedigree stock. In 1920 he sold out in South Africa and returned to one of the few properties in County Meath which have not changed hands during the past 50 years. It covers an area of 390 acres, and is managed in a way that necessitates the employment of eight men. Sixty acres of hay have been saved in good condition this season, and there is a large area under roots, but no grain is grown. It is more economical to grow it than to buy it, in the opinion of Mr. Thom.

Good Cross-Breds.

In addition to the pure-bred Angus there are over 30 half-bred heifers coming to the bull this year. The progeny of these will be retained until fit for the market. There are also here a number of cross-bred cows with calves by an Angus bull, experience having shown that it is better to breed stores than to bring them in from outside. One result of this policy is to ensure a uniform type that enhances the value of the stock. A good return on a heavy initial outlay is thus secured.

To-Day's Herd.

The present herd of Aberdeen Angus cattle, though established only three years, succeeds one that found a home here and was then dispersed. It comprises 20 females of good type, with bulls of the right stamp at their head. At present the demand for well-bred Angus stock in this country is enormous, but it is considered advisable to cultivate a foreign *clientèle* also, and with this object members of the Irish Aberdeen Angus Association are organising an advertising campaign.

A bull that should give a good account of himself later is the flat-topped, deep-ribbed, year-and-a-half-old Trojan Erica, Earl Benson of Cullen, by Prince Benson of Ballindalloch—Equity of Ballindalloch. Another good bull is the good-quartered Blackbird, Black Band of Coolcower, by Ermelo—Buenavista 2nd. He was reserve champion at Dublin in March, 1924, and cost 200 guineas. He has also other honours to his credit. Next to come under notice on the occasion of a recent visit was the Navan champion heifer, Fairy Maid of Cullen, by Justice Castlecrag—Fairy Maid of Darnaway 5th. She was first in her class and the Meath Farmers' Union special for best beast under 2 years 3 months, and also the cup for the best feeding beast having none of its permanent incisors cut. The cow, Proserpine of Auchterarder, by Black Idol, a champion of the Highland Show, and her heifer calf, is good to look at.

Among the pure-bred bull calves a particularly useful lot are Phil, Equality, Prince and Euchre, while the cross-breds already mentioned are very promising.

Store Cattle Industry.

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ANGUS AND STORE CATTLE BREEDING.

Amongst pedigree stock breeders in Co. Meath one of the most progressive is Mr. Alex. Thom, Cullen House, Slane. This property has been in the Thom family for generations, and the name is also associated with a well-known Dublin Directory. During his father's lifetime the present owner travelled a lot, and spent twenty years in South Africa, where he farmed successfully and won many prizes with pedigree stock. In 1920 he sold out in South Africa and returned to one of the few properties in County Meath which have not changed hands during the past 50 years. It covers an area of 390 acres, and is managed in a way that necessitates the employment of eight men. Sixty acres of hay have been saved in good condition this season, and there is a large area under roots, but no grain is grown. It is more economical to grow it than to buy it, in the opinion of Mr. Thom.

Good Cross-Breds.

In addition to the pure-bred Angus there are over 30 half-bred heifers coming to the bull this year. The progeny of these will be retained until fit for the market. There are also here a number of cross-bred cows with calves by an Angus bull, experience having shown that it is better to breed stores than to bring them in from outside. One result of this policy is to ensure a uniform type that enhances the value of the stock. A good return on a heavy initial outlay is thus secured.

To-Day's Herd.

The present herd of Aberdeen Angus cattle, though established only three years, succeeds one that found a home here and was then dispersed. It comprises 20 females of good type, with bulls of the right stamp at their head. At present the demand for well-bred Angus stock in this country is enormous, but it is considered advisable to cultivate a foreign *clientèle* also, and with this object members of the Irish Aberdeen Angus Association are organising an advertising campaign.

A bull that should give a good account of himself later is the flat-topped, deep-ribbed, year-and-a-half-old Trojan Erica, Earl Benson of Cullen, by Prince Benson of Ballindalloch—Equity of Ballindalloch. Another good bull is the good-quartered Blackbird, Black Band of Coolcower, by Ermelo—Buenavista 2nd. He was reserve champion at Dublin in March, 1924, and cost 200 guineas. He has also other honours to his credit. Next to come under notice on the occasion of a recent visit was the Navan champion heifer, Fairy Maid of Cullen, by Justice Castlecrag—Fairy Maid of Darnaway 5th. She was first in her class and the Meath Farmers' Union special for best beast under 2 years 3 months, and also the cup for the best feeding beast having none of its permanent incisors cut. The cow, Proserpine of Auchterarder, by Black Idol, a champion of the Highland Show, and her heifer calf, is good to look at.

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VACATION LAW SITTINGS.

NURSING HOME ACTION.

CHARGES DISPUTED.

In the High Court, Dublin, yesterday, before Mr. Justice O'Byrne, Vacation Judge, in the case of Margaret Gaffney, widow, of 17 Earlsfort terrace, Dublin, against Thomas Sheridan, clerk of works, and Lily Sheridan, his wife, of 27 Coulson avenue, Rathgar,

Mr. John Bartley (instructed by Mr. T. Osborne Davis) applied on behalf of the plaintiff for an order for final judgment for £34 2s. 6d., the amount endorsed on the writ of summons in the action, which was brought to recover that sum, balance alleged to be due by the defendants to the plaintiff for work done and professional services rendered and money expended by the plaintiff for the use of the defendants at their request while the defendant, Mrs. Sheridan, was a patient in the plaintiff's nursing home, "Stella Maris House," 17 Earlsfort terrace, Dublin, from 20th April to 18th June, 1926.

In an affidavit Mrs. Gaffney, owner of the nursing home, stated that the amount mentioned was due and owing to her; that she believed that the defendants had no defence to the action, and that the appearance had been entered by them for the purpose of delay.

It was further stated in the affidavit, with reference to the different items in the account, including special nurses and laundry, etc., that three guineas a week was the usual fee for special nurses, and that there was a special nurse employed for three weeks during the time that Mrs. Sheridan was a patient along with the other nurses.

The defendants, in an affidavit which Mr. Bartley read, stated that they had a good defence to the action. As to the items set out in the claim endorsed on the writ, they, or either of them, never at any time agreed to pay the plaintiff the amount claimed or requested her to employ or expend any money for the payment of the special nurses named. As to the charge of six guineas per week, when Mrs. Sheridan first went to the home in September, 1921, the plaintiff agreed to let her a room at 5½ guineas per week, including all nursing and other attendance, and the plaintiff also agreed with the defendants that if at any future time Mrs. Sheridan should be a maternity patient in the plaintiff's home the same charge of 5½ guineas would be made.

Mr. Bartley also referred to a letter dated 25th June, in which the defendant, Mr. Thomas Sheridan, offered the plaintiff £50 in full settlement, which was not accepted.

Mr. M. J. Ryan (instructed by Mr. Henry B. O'Hanlon), who appeared for the defendants, said that his lordship would find that referred to in the affidavit.

Mr. Justice O'Byrne said that he had read all the affidavits, and without calling upon Mr. Ryan, refused the application for final judgment, and made an order transferring the action for trial to the Dublin Circuit Court, the costs of both parties to be costs in the cause.

HOUSE REPAIRS.

FINAL JUDGMENT MOTION.

Mr. Connor Maguire (instructed by Messrs. Little, O hUadhaigh and Proud), applied on behalf of Messrs. H. M. and T. Martin, builders, Dalkey, for final judgment in a claim for £200 15s. 10d. against Mrs. M. F. Ryan, who resides in London, for work done and material supplied in connection with the repair of a house, the property of the defendant, at Kingstown.

Mr. Nolan-Whelan (instructed by Messrs. C. J. Reddy and Sons), for the defendant, read an affidavit alleging that the amount claimed was in excess of the amount legally and justly due. He asked to have the motion dismissed with costs.

Mr. Justice O'Byrne said that the plaintiffs were builders and contractors, and admittedly they did a certain amount of repairs to the defendant's house at Dun Laoghaire. The defendant stated that certain items, to which she pointed, were not supplied, and that in respect of certain items the plaintiffs had overcharged. She had the premises inspected by Mr. G. L. O'Connor, a well-known architect, and he pointed to certain items which, he said, were overcharged. The total was £38 11s. 10d. So far as overcharging was concerned, that was the only evidence that he had before him. In addition to that the defendant said that certain items were not supplied. On the evidence before him, the only sum in respect of which the defendant could claim any relief was £42 16s. 11d. He deducted that amount from the £200 15s. 10d., and gave final judgment for £157 18s. 11d., without costs.

THE SALE OF A FARM.

ATTACHMENT ORDER ISSUED.

Mr. Rice, K.C., with whom was Mr. Gerald Burke (instructed by Messrs. James L. Burke and Co.), applied on behalf of Mr. Martin McDonald, of 39 Lower Dorset street, Dublin, for a writ of attachment against John Martin, of Shingle House, Leixlip, County Kildare, or, in the alternative, that an order be made attaching John Martin for his contempt in interfering with the sale of part of the lands of Easton, County Kildare, on Thursday, July 22nd, 1926.

Counsel said that the plaintiff had advanced £1,600 to Julia Martin, as personal representative of Thomas Martin, deceased, and as a charge against the estate of the deceased. In 1922 Mrs. Martin endeavoured to sell the lands in question, but the defendant, who is her son, interfered with the sale. An order was made by the Master of the Rolls restraining the defendant from interfering with the sale of the lands. Several attempts were since made to sell the lands, but the defendant attended on each occasion, and by his actions and conduct, interfered with the sale, and counsel submitted that unless the defendant was put out of the way it would be impossible to effect a sale.

Mr. Hector Hughes (instructed by Mr. M. L. Hearn, solicitor), for the defendant, said that he was handicapped by not having an affidavit from the defendant. According to the auctioneer, John Martin attended the sale and asked the simple question: Was his mother a life tenant? It was not suggested that he behaved in a truculent manner. John Martin was in the country, and could be got to swear an affidavit if the case had been adjourned.

Mr. Justice O'Byrne said that if the motion depended upon the affidavit of Mr. Green, he would be prepared to attach John Martin; but in addition to the affidavit of Mr. Green he had other evidence before him. In 1922 an injunction was made against the defendant in an action brought against him by his mother. In 1924, when his mother attempted to sell the land, John Martin attended and said that he was the oldest son and his mother had no right to sell, and the sale fell through. A further attempt was made in 1925, and John Martin attended and took a certain line of conduct, and the sale fell through. Then an order for the sale of the land was made, and the auctioneer appointed by the Court proceeded to sell the land. John Martin went there and asked was his mother only a life tenant. The auctioneer did not reply, and the defendant bid £300, saying that he was entitled to buy his own father's farm. He had no doubt that the defendant's conduct did interfere with the sale ordered by the Court, and for such interference the defendant was liable for the consequences for contempt of Court. He, therefore, made an order issuing a writ of attachment against the defendant.

PAYABLE TO FIRM.

COMMERCIAL TRAVELLER'S LAPSE.

At Roscommon District Court yesterday William Nix, traveller for Messrs. T. and C. Martin, timber merchants, Dublin, was charged with cashing a cheque for £30, made payable to the firm. It was stated that he had the cheque cashed by Mr. Rafferty, of the Royal Hotel, Roscommon, where he stopped. The bank refused to pass the cheque, and the accused man was arrested. Over £20 was found on him.

Mr. Oldham, head accountant of the firm, said that the accused man had been fairly satisfactory since he came to them at the beginning of the year. The witness could not account for his lapse.

Mr. McSherry, solicitor, who appeared for the accused man, said that the back of the cheque spoke for itself.

The Justice (Mr. Kenny)—It looks as if something crawled over it.

The amount having been reduced to £10, the Justice adjourned the case for a month to see what Nix would do to refund the amount, and admitted him to bail.

DUBLIN AND THE PROVINCES.

DUBLIN.

Sale of Swords Hotel.—The Greyhound Hotel, Swords, was sold by auction yesterday to Mr. Fagan, solicitor, Rutland square, Dublin, who bought it in trust for Miss Doyle, Swords, for £1,400. The auctioneers were Messrs. Keappock, Clarke, and Co., Navan. There was a good attendance, and the bidding was brisk.

Blackrock Urban Council.—At the meeting of Blackrock Urban Council last night, Mr. Samuel Byrne, Chairman, presiding, on the motion of Mr. McCabe, seconded by Mr. W. Field, and supported by Messrs. Devitt and Massey, a vote of sympathy was passed with the relatives of the late Very Rev. Canon Dunne, P.P., Howth. The Finance Committee's report showed that the rates collected were as follows:—Township, £12,446, and poor rates, £4,663; outstanding, £12,606 and £6,088, respectively.

Cyclist's Fatal Injuries.—An inquest was opened yesterday in the Mater Hospital, Dublin, on Edward Corr (22), a blacksmith, of 100 Shaw Cottages, Broadstone, who died as a result of injuries received when he was knocked down by a char-a-banc on the Baldoyle road, near Howth, on last Sunday. The Coroner (Dr. Louis Byrne) stated that charges against the driver were being proceeded with in Howth that day, and it might be some time before the witnesses could be present. He suggested that the jury should hear evidence of identification and the medical evidence and then adjourn the inquest until to-day. Mrs. Corr, mother of the deceased, stated that her son left home at 6 o'clock on last Sunday to cycle to the camps at Howth. He was an expert and careful cyclist and of perfectly sober habits. The foreman of the jury said that they were prepared to resume the inquiry at 1 p.m. to-day.

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LEINSTER.

Wexford Harbour Board.—Captain Cardiff, Messrs. R. P. O'Keefe, and J. H. Martin have been elected to fill vacancies on Wexford Harbour Board.

Price of Pigs.—The top price for fat pigs in Enniscorthy yesterday was 78s. per cwt. live weight. Pigs (live weight) sold at 71s. per cwt. in Athlone yesterday, an increase of 1s. on last week. 98s. per cwt. was the top price paid at Bennettsbridge.

Sympathy.—Oulart Farmers' Union Branch passed a vote of sympathy with Mr. Nicholas J. Colleton, managing director of Messrs. Lee's, Mary street, Dublin, on the death of his brother, Mr. John Colleton, Peace Commissioner, Ballytarsna, former chairman of the branch for many years.

Kilkenny Man's Death in New York.—News reached Kilkenny yesterday of the death in New York of Mr. Patrick Lutterall, of Garryricken, Callan, Co. Kilkenny, on August 9th last, having been only two weeks in New York. He was knocked down and run over by a street car, both legs being cut off. He died following an operation.

The Late Guard E. Kavanagh.—On last Tuesday evening the remains of the late Guard E. Kavanagh, Civic Guard, Wexford, who received fatal injuries on last Sunday night at Ballyvegin Cross, when returning on a motor bicycle from Waterford Civic Guard Sports, and died on the following day, were removed to Rathangan, Co. Kildare, for interment. The coffin was borne from the County Hospital, Wexford, where the Guard died, via Westgate to the New Bridge on the outskirts of the town by his comrades in the Force.

MUNSTER.

Ex-Service Man Drowned.—At the inquest held in Limerick yesterday on Harry Garvey, a British ex-Service man, whose body was recovered from the Mulcain River, near Limerick, on last Monday night, no evidence was forthcoming as to how he got into the water. A verdict of "found drowned" was returned.

House Ransacked near Fermoy.—When Mrs. Margaret Daly and family were at Mass on last Sunday morning their house, near Fermoy, was entered, ransacked, and about £40 taken from a cash box. A girl was subsequently arrested, brought before Mr. H. S. Daniels, Peace Commissioner, and remanded on bail.

Limerick Inquests.—At the inquest held in Limerick yesterday on Francis Hogan, a Shannon worker, of Thomondgate, who was run over by a lorry, while working at the docks, the jury found that the deceased man met his death from injuries received in the employment of Messrs. Siemens-Schuckert. At the inquest on Michael Mulcahy, labourer, the jury found that he died from shock, following injuries sustained by being run over by a lorry, the property of Messrs. Siemens. It was stated that the deceased man was out of employment, and that morning (Tuesday) had gone in quest of work. The driver of the lorry was exonerated from all blame.

Cruelty to A Horse.—At Kilrush District Court, John Bugler was summoned for working a horse which was suffering from a large wound on its back. Defendant stated that it was the first time that he had the horse out. The animal must have been cut by the shaking of the car. He was treating the horse since. District Justice Flood imposed a fine of 3s., and costs.

Tipperary Centenarian's Death.—The death has taken place of Mrs. J. Hayes, Holycross, Thurles, at the age of 104. She was the eldest of a family of nine, most of whom lived to be over 80 years of age. Her own family of nine are still alive. Two days before her death Mrs. Hayes dug potatoes.

CONNAUGHT.

Unemployment Benefit Fraud. — Joseph McKeown, of Knockcroghery, was, at Roscommon District Court, charged with making false statements, with a view to obtaining benefit under the Unemployment Act. Evidence was given that the accused man produced his father's book to an official at Athlone, represented himself to be Patrick McKeown, and entitled to benefit. Justice Kenny said that there appeared to be a speciality for this class of fraud in Athlone. He sentenced the accused man to 28 days' imprisonment, but on appeal from Mr. McSherry, solicitor, altered the sentence to a fine of £5, or a month in jail.

NORTHERN IRELAND.

Head Constable's Death.—The death of Head Constable J. Goold, R.U.C., has occurred at his residence, Bachelor's Walk, Lisburn. The late Mr. Goold was a native of Cavan. When the R.I.C. was disbanded in 1922 he joined the R.U.C. A short time prior to this he passed his examination for district inspector. In recognition of his valued services, the King conferred on him the Meritorious Service Medal. Mr. Goold was a P.M. of St. George Masonic Lodge 267. He is survived by Mrs. Goold and four sons.

Better Quality Eggs.—It is reported by the Inspector that during the past month 282 eggs were tested in the shops in Derry. In this connection the Inspector's report states that "the eggs are improving in quality and freshness."

The Missing Salmon Trout.—At a Special Court, held at Stewartstown, an ex-soldier, Albert Bell, Stewartstown, was charged with the larceny of two salmon trout, the property of Mr. John Coleman, fish merchant, Stewartstown. The accused man was remanded to Stewartstown Petty Sessions.

Kindly Woman Has to Pay.—When Mrs. Mary McCullough, of Grosvenor road, Belfast, was charged in the Belfast Summons Court with having an unlicensed dog, the defendant said that the little dog had been run over by a motor car, and she picked it up and brought it home. Major Hardy said that it was very kind of the defendant to look after the dog. The woman was ordered to pay costs and take out a licence.

Girl Cyclist Killed.—When Miss Jane Kane, of Turmoyra, near Lurgan, was cycling to her home on last Tuesday evening, her bicycle skidded on the slippery road, and she was thrown heavily to the ground, her spine being injured. She died yesterday morning.

Knocked Down Two Girls.—At the Belfast Summons Court yesterday, James Maguire, Ballydonaghy, was fined 40s. and costs, and 20s. and costs, and his licence endorsed, for having, on August 3rd last, recklessly driven a motor cycle, and for failing to stop when signalled by the pointsman. Constable Sterritt said that the accused man knocked down two girls, Edna Lemon, Pakenham street, and Eileen Vaughan, Posnett street.

Payments to Ex-Service Men.—Mr. John Malcolm, who has been dealing with the question of the claims of the ex-Service men employed by the Belfast Corporation—which matter has been before that body for some months—has sent a communication to the Town Clerk (Sir Robert Meyer), stating that, inasmuch as the chartered accountants have now completed their examination of the ex-Service men's claim forms, the Corporation are requested to make arrangements for immediate payments to be made.

Magistrate and the "Cat."—At Saintfield Petty Sessions, Constable Kerrin charged Bella Lecky, Downpatrick street, Saintfield, with being drunk, disorderly, and using bad language on the street. The Chairman said that the Court would, he expected, be empowered by next Court day to administer doses of the "cat" in the case of obscene peace-breakers. Defendant would be fined 1s. and costs, or seven days' imprisonment, and bound over in two sureties of £5 each to keep the peace for twelve months, or, in default, jail for a month.

Overcrowded 'Bus.—At Saintfield (County Down) Petty Sessions, W. J. McCurdy, Downpatrick, was prosecuted for carrying passengers in excess of the number for which his 'bus was licensed. The constable's evidence was that there were eight persons on top of the 'bus, who jumped off when he came up. The Chairman said that, as the full duty had since been paid on the maximum seating capacity, the defendant would be fined £20, with a recommendation to the County Council to reduce it to £2.

Aged Border Farmer Attacked. — The house of an octogenarian farmer, Joseph Brown, who lives alone in a mountainous district on the Monaghan border at Ashban, near Clogher, was attacked by a party of blackguards about one o'clock on last Tuesday morning. While one section threw stones at the windows of the old man's bedroom, the others removed a number of articles from the ground floor, including a watch, cutlery and clothing. A few months ago Brown was the victim of a similar attack, when £30 was stolen.

Army Pensioner's Loss.—In the Belfast Custody Court yesterday, Annie Burns, who gave an address in Gardiner street, was sent to the Recorder's Court for trial on a charge of the larceny of a pocket-book containing fifteen pound notes, a blank cheque-book, and a cigar case, the property of John McEntee, an Army pensioner. Head Constable Smylie stated that at 11 o'clock on Tuesday night he saw the accused woman emerge from Exchange Court into Donegall street, followed by McEntee, who was shouting "Police." He accused prisoner of stealing from him the articles mentioned in the charge. Accused, who denied the charge, was granted bail.

Education Act in Derry.—The Finance Committee of Derry Corporation have adjourned the question of the introduction of medical inspection and the treatment of school children, to enable the Mayor and Chairman of the Finance and Education Committees, with the Town Clerk and City Accountant, to have an interview with the Minister of Education and the Minister of Home Affairs, and to explain to them the position of affairs in the city, which was the principal reason for the delay in putting into operation this part of the Act. The Council approved of the report.

Cyclist Run Down by Motor Car.—Summoned at Belfast yesterday for having, on June 5th last, driven a motor car in a manner dangerous to the public, James Hamilton, 8 Stranmillis Gardens, was convicted and fined £5 and costs. The evidence went to show that the defendant was driving the car along the Dublin road, behind a lorry. He pulled out to pass the lorry, and ran into a boy, Wilfred Nicholson, who was riding a bicycle in the opposite direction. Defendant's car dragged the boy twenty-eight yards before it stopped. The boy was seven weeks in hospital. The evidence for the defence was that the boy had a parcel containing a concertina with him, and he got into difficulties with it, with the result that he swerved into the defendant's car.

Overworked Guardians.—The increasingly heavy work devolving on the Outdoor Relief Committee of the Belfast Guardians and the relieving officers was commented on at the meeting of the Board. The report of the Committee revealed that it had to sit five hours on Monday and four hours last Tuesday, and suggested that, owing to the heaviness of the work which the relieving officers had to carry out, forms of application should be prepared to be filled in by applicants for relief. Mr. John Wilson, Chairman of the Committee, moved accordingly. Miss Blackwood seconded. Mr. J. Beattie, M.P., objected to the "flashlight decision" of the Committee, which, he said, was being sprung on the Board. He said that he was not prepared to accept the dictation of the relieving officers that they were overworked. He objected to cases of destitution being held over from week to week owing to the Committee not being able to deal with them. He moved that a Committee be appointed to consider fully the whole matter. Mr. Phillip Wilson seconded the proposal. Three voted for Mr. Beattie's motion, and 18 against, and Mr. John Wilson's proposal was accordingly adopted.

DUBLIN UNION FINANCE.

DECISION ON QUESTION OF WORKING OVERTIME.

At a meeting of the Dublin Union Commissioners yesterday, the Clerk stated that the City Treasurer had lodged £11,000 to the credit of the Union. Sums due by contributory bodies were as follow:—Dublin County Council, £10,000; Dublin Corporation, £13,393 15s. The balance to credit in the bank was £8,173 8s. 9d.

On its being mentioned by Dr. Dwyer that overtime was being worked in the institution, and that Mr. Commissioner MacLysaght had given an instruction that overtime was not to be worked in future,

The Clerk stated that overtime was necessary from time to time, especially when his principal assistants were on vacation, when overtime was absolutely essential to keep the books up-to-date, as no substitutes were appointed to replace those on vacation. The Commissioners might rest assured that no overtime would be ordered to be performed unless there was absolute necessity for it.

The Commissioners approved of overtime in special circumstances, and ordered that a report should be furnished to them when the work was completed.

DUBLIN UNION ACCOUNTS.

COMMISSIONERS COME IN FOR CRITICISM.

Consideration of an application made by the Dublin Commissioners for payment of £47 6s., due to an error made in the valuation of clothing by the stocktaker of the Dublin Union, was deferred for inquiry by the Rathdown Guardians at their meeting yesterday.

Mr. Rollins criticised the administration of the Union, and said that the Commissioners were now beginning to make mistakes, and if this were allowed to continue they would not know where these errors would end or what cost it might entail to the Guardians.

THE AGRICULTURAL OUTLOOK.

CONDITIONS IN COUNTY KILKENNY.

Our Thomastown (Co. Kilkenny) Correspondent writes that the corn is being cut in the Thomastown and South Kilkenny districts. Many fields are lodged and cannot be cut by machinery, so that the older methods are being adopted. The weather is most unfavourable for harvesting, and unless there is a marked improvement the outlook for the farmer will be gloomy.

The present prices of agricultural produce are the lowest on record. Fresh butter is being sold in the local market at a shilling per lb., while the best quality of salted butter is realising only 1s. 3d. per lb. The highest price for eggs is 1s. 3d. per dozen. Potatoes are very plentiful and the quality is good, notwithstanding the almost continual wet weather. Prices are low, and are expected to drop to 5s. per barrel as the season advances.

Hay is far more plentiful than was anticipated, but the demand is poor owing to the market being overstocked. This is attributed to the fact that many farmers have been unable to stock their pastures, and have been obliged to let them run into meadow.

COUNCIL STRIKES RATE

THEN CALLS FOR SWORN INQUIRY INTO ITS AFFAIRS.

Listowel Urban Council has struck a rate of 23s. 11d. in the £, after several unsuccessful attempts, on all previous occasions only one or two members having attended.

A resolution was passed calling for a sworn inquiry into the affairs of the Council.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR.

THE GOOD PEOPLE.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—How have the dwellers in Ross-shire become so benighted as not to know that it was the Good People that carried away their hay? In the days before machinery made the world hideous and put poetry to flight women raked the hay with long, wooden handrakes. One day a girl was caught up, but a nimble-witted man flung up a lock of hay and called out, "Take the hay and l'ave the girl!" It was taken and she was dropped. A farmer's wife died when their son was born. In a year the husband wedded again, and soon after the first wife appeared to him. She was not dead; the Good People had taken her to nurse their children. On such a night they would ride through such a gap; she would be on a white horse, and, if he did this and that, he would get her back; but he made answer, "What would I be doin' with the two o' ye!"

Beware of living in a house that is built on a fairy path. People that did so saw their eldest child pine away. She was six or seven years old. Doctors could do nothing for her, and her mother's heart was torn when the child would say, "You know what would cure me, and you won't do it." And so she died.

In "Sesame and Lilies" Ruskin gives a beautiful bit from De Quincey about the forests of Domrémy, where the parish priest had to read Mass once a year to keep the fairies within decent bounds.—Yours, etc.,

"K."

Queen's County, August 17th, 1926.

LAMBAY ISLAND.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—In your interesting article, Lambay Island is referred to as a mystery island to the people of Dublin. That is a pity, as it used not to be so. In the 'seventies a small steamer from Kingstown brought many parties, of whom I was one on several occasions, to the island, and we all looked on it as a delightful outing.

My last trip there was in 1873, and, as to the buildings on it, I can remember only a schoolhouse, which we visited and got the scholars a half-day. Many Dublin people used then to enjoy the charming scenery, as well as the trip on the sea. This reminds me that on my last visit to Glengariff, in 1914, I rowed out in Bantry Bay to an island, off which I and many others had enjoyed many dips. When I reached it a notice was on the landing-place that no one was allowed to land. My boatman explained that the island had been sold to an Englishman.—Yours, etc.,

R. BURKE.

Dublin, August 18th, 1926.

LOCAL RECORDS.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—Increased interest in the scheme to establish local record offices has been aroused by the announcement of the London County Council that it is prepared to undertake the storing of local parish and historical records. As the English Public Record Office deals almost exclusively with national records, the action of the Council is valuable in a hitherto scattered field of research, and may be found worthy of following by like bodies in this land in connection with records linked in their boundaries.—Yours, etc.,

WILLIAM MACARTHUR.

43 Lower Gardiner street, Dublin,
August 18th, 1926.

WAGE RATES DISPUTE.

RATHDOWN CONTRACTOR'S ACTION.

Labour trouble over a contract had the consideration of the Rathdown Rural Council at Loughlinstown yesterday, when Mr. David Clarke, Ranelagh, contractor for the Tillystown sewerage extension, came before the meeting, and reported that the men had refused to work when he wanted to start the contract on Monday.

He had offered the labourers a shilling an hour, which, he considered, was the standard rate, but an official of the Transport Union would not allow the men to start work unless they were paid at the rate of 1s. 4d. an hour. In the circumstances, he could not go on with the contract, and refused to sign his bond.

A deputation (Messrs. Dunne and Robbins) from the men appeared before the Council, and stated that Mr. Clarke was trying to make the men work for a rate which applied only in the case of a Government grant, whereas this particular contract was being carried out with moneys provided by the ratepayers. They said that other builders and contractors in the district were paying labourers 1s 4d. an hour. To accept Mr. Clarke's offer would be to permit him to take advantage of the impoverished condition of the people in this district.

Mr. Clarke repudiated the allegation that he wanted to take advantage of the people of the district. He gave instances of treatment meted out to him by the union.

Mr. A. W. Cullen, Chairman of the Council, said that, no matter whether the provision for this contract came from a grant or a loan, it was the ratepayers all the time who had to foot the bill. He said that the Council would take no action in the matter. He advised the two parties to come to some agreement among themselves.

TOOK "SPIRIT PHOTOS" IN CEMETERY.

BELFAST MEDIUM SUMMONED FOR FORTUNE-TELLING.

A summons against the President of the Belfast Christian Spiritualist Association for alleged fortune-telling was adjourned for a week, at Belfast Summons Court yesterday, on the application of Mr. John Graham, the defendant's solicitor. The defendant is the person who claims to have succeeded in taking photographs of his mother and other relatives hovering in spirit form over a grave in Belfast City Cemetery.

The summons, which is at the suit of Detective-Constable W. J. Elliott, cites "that you on the 5th August did pretend to tell fortunes to deceive and impose on His Majesty's subjects." The defendant's address was given as 2 Ava street, Belfast.

Mr. Graham, applying for the adjournment, said that it was not a case of ordinary fortune-telling by means of cards, crystal, tea leaves, or any nonsense of that sort. His client was President of the Belfast Christian Spiritualist Association, and claimed to be a spiritualistic medium, a clairvoyant, and psychometist. He also claimed—and certainly had firm belief in his power in that way—to be able to communicate with the dead, to take photographs of them, and to communicate their messages to the living.

The present prosecution was one of considerable importance, and when it came to be heard would occupy a considerable time. It was only that morning that he had had an opportunity of going through the case with his client and some of the persons connected with the Association of which the defendant was president. Certain documents would have to be produced, and as he had just got possession of them, he felt that he was not quite ready to go on with the case.

He had seen in the Press an article describing an interview with the defendant, in which he claimed to have taken spirit photographs. The defendant said that some of the greatest people of the day were firm believers in his faith—notably Sir Arthur Conan Doyle, Sir Oliver Lodge, and many other well-known men and also women. He (Mr. Graham) did not think that the police would object to the adjournment.

The complainant had no objection, and Major Hardy, R.M., granted the adjournment.

Mr. Graham—It will be a most interesting case.

Major Hardy agreed.

LOUGHLINSTOWN HOSPITAL COST.

In response to a proposal of the Ministry of Local Government, the Guardians of the Rathdown Union had under consideration yesterday reports received from their medical officer, Dr. J. Pim; their architect and a committee in connection with a contemplated reduction of staff because of the small number of patients in Loughlinstown Hospital. It was regarded that the hospital buildings were too large for the accommodation of the patients, and that there could be substantial retrenchment in respect to the institution.

The Chairman (Mr. Cullen) said that the cost of running the hospital meant over £8,000, and they were of opinion that it could be run on much cheaper lines and with greater efficiency.

Mr. Farrell, Assistant Clerk, said that the Department had been notified that it would be desirable for its medical officer and architect to meet the Guardians' medical officer and architect.

DUBLIN DISTRICT COURT

CHASE OF A "SUSPECT."

SOUND THAT AROUSED GUARD'S SUSPICIONS.

(BEFORE MR. CUSSEN.)

Stephen O'Hagan, messenger, Dolphin's Barn street, and Philip Kane, no business, Dame street, were remanded until Saturday, charged with loitering and with being in possession of a revolver for an unlawful purpose.

Guard Thomas Terrence stated that at about 11 o'clock on Tuesday night, when on duty at Wellington quay, in company with Guard Joseph Hughes, he went towards two men who were standing near East Essex street. As he approached he heard a noise like the "cocking" of a revolver. The men moved off as he came near, and he called on them to halt. Kane did so and was arrested by the witness, and the other man ran away, with Guard Hughes in pursuit. When the chase had continued through several side streets he met Guard Hughes, who took charge of Kane, while the witness went after the other man, whom he overtook and arrested at the corner of Wellington quay and Eustace street. He found a revolver in that man's possession.

When asked if he wished to question the witness, O'Hagan said: "I refuse to recognise the Court," and turned his back to the justice.

A SUSPICIOUS POCKETFUL.

Patrick Mulvey, Golden lane, was remanded until Saturday on a charge of loitering in South Great George's street for the purpose of committing a felony. He was also charged with the illegal possession of a quantity of spelter and a bunch of keys, one a skeleton key.

Sergeant Lynch stated that he saw the prisoner in George's street between 10 and 11 on Tuesday morning, and, noticing that one of his coat pockets was bulging, arrested him. In the pocket he found the keys and a quantity of spelter, which could be used for the manufacture of counterfeit coins.

£380 JEWELLERY THEFT.

Christopher McClure (16), Edward O'Connor (17), Thomas O'Neill (17) and Gerald McKay (17), all living in Lower Gardiner street, and Thomas Duggan (18), of Summerhill, were charged with having, on the night of June 27 last, broken into the Liffey street premises of Messrs. Samuels and Sons and stolen jewellery to the value of about £383.

Detective Quinn stated that he arrested O'Connor that morning. On the way to the station O'Connor said, "I was there all right."

Detective Madden stated that McClure told him that he got four of the watches and sold them for 2s. each to men in the street.

The prisoners were remanded till to-day.

QUARRY "DEATH-TRAP."

HOW TWO TYRONE FARMERS LOST THEIR LIVES.

"A regular death-trap" was how the Coroner at an inquest on Henry Thompson, farmer, of Coyah, Fintona, Co. Tyrone, on Tuesday evening, described a quarry in the district, in which Mr. Thompson was killed by a fall of earth and stones.

On the 28th July, 1923, the Coroner (Mr. A. C. Leitch) mentioned, a farmer named Keown and his son were killed at the same spot under similar circumstances. A remarkable coincidence was that Mr. Thompson, like the Keowns, had almost finished work for the day when the quarry crashed upon him.

John Breen, Drumderg, gave evidence that he was working in the quarry with the deceased man when he heard a shout, and, on looking round, saw portion of the quarry falling on Mr. Thompson, the earth and stones completely covering him. The witness rushed over and endeavoured to extricate the unfortunate man, but when he got his head cleared of the *débris* Mr. Thompson expired.

The deceased man was raising stones with a crowbar, and did not use explosives. The face of the quarry was about twenty feet high, and at this point the quarry was undermined by about six feet. It was a dangerous quarry.

Edward Slevin, Tattycor, who was beside the deceased man when the accident occurred, and had a miraculous escape, gave similar evidence.

The Coroner commented that he had previously mentioned the danger of undermining at this quarry.

The jury returned a verdict that the deceased man was killed through clay and stones accidentally falling on him, and expressed the opinion that the authorities should close the quarry.

IRISH INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT.

THE IRISH TRADE MARK.

Senator Colonel Sir Nugent T. Everard, Bart., presided over a recent Council meeting of the Irish Industrial Development Association (Incorporated). The other members present were:—Miss Purser, Dublin; Mr. D. Baird, Dublin; Mr. W. E. Shackleton, Lucan; Mr. J. P. O'Shea, Dublin; Mr. R. Goodbody, Clara; Messrs. J. L. Fawsitt, inspector, and C. Towers, secretary.

The following members sent apologies for non-attendance, viz.:—Senator the Countess Dowager of Desart, Kilkenny; Mr. J. O'Neill, Dublin; Mr. J. H. Cooper, Dublin, and Sir John Irwin, Dublin.

Messrs. R. Day and Son, Ltd., Patrick street, Cork, were granted permission to use the Irish trade mark on leggings, suitcases, trunks and harness of their manufacture, subject to the customary regulations, and Messrs. Preston and Hadfields, Ltd., Rathfarnham, Co. Dublin, to use it on varnishes of their manufacture. The Educational Book Company of Ireland, Ltd., were granted authority to use the Irish trade mark on prayer books printed and bound by them in Dublin, subject to the customary regulations.

A report was read from a sub-committee which was formed at a previous meeting to draft a specification for the varnish-making industry. The draft specification submitted was adopted unanimously, and in future only those firms manufacturing varnish up to the specification will be granted permission to apply the Irish trade mark to their varnish products.

A report was submitted by the inspector dealing with his recent visit to Belfast users of the Irish trade mark. The terms of the report were noted. Arrangements were completed for a visit in the near future by the inspector to the factories of users of the Irish trade mark in the Derry-Donegal area.

Instances of the use of the words "Irish" and "Shamrock" on imported toilet articles by certain Belfast traders were considered by the Council, who instructed the secretary to bring the trade practices to the attention of Northern manufacturers producing like commodities.

MERCHANDISE MARKS ACT.

The following correspondence exchanged with the Department of Industry and Commerce was noted by the Council, viz.:—

"12th May, 1926.

"To Secretary, Department of Industry and Commerce, Dublin.

"I am directed by my Council to inquire (a) whether the Department of Industry and Commerce is empowered to exercise in respect of An Saorstat the statutory powers formerly exercised or exercisable by the British Board of Trade with regard to the prosecution of offences under the Merchandise Marks Act, 1887, other than cases which appear to relate to Irish agricultural or horticultural produce of the rural industries mentioned in Sub-section 1 of Section 30 of the Agricultural and Technical Instruction (Ireland) Act, 1890; (b) if the Department is so empowered, whether the regulations made by the British Board of Trade with regard to prosecutions under the Act are now legally effective in this country; and (c) whether any forms have been prescribed by the Department for the purpose of carrying the said regulations into effect?"

"17th June, 1926.

"To Secretary, Irish Industrial Development Association, from Department of Industry and Commerce, Dublin.

"With reference to your letter of the 12th ultimo on the question of offences under the Merchandise Marks Act, 1887, I am directed by the Minister for Industry and Commerce to state that the functions of the Board of Trade have devolved on this Department, and the Department is advised that the regulations dated 21st May, 1892, made under the M.M. Act, 1891, are legally effective in Saorstat Eireann. The Department will communicate with you later regarding the forms contemplated in paragraph 6 of these regulations."

"19th July, 1926.

"To Secretary, I.I.D.A. (Incorporated), from Department of Industry and Commerce, Dublin.

"With reference to your letter of the 12th May last on the question of offences under the M.M. Act, 1887, I am directed by the Minister for Industry and Commerce to state that the regulations dated the 7th July, 1913, made by the Board of Trade under the M.M. Act, 1891, in lieu of the regulations dated the 21st May, 1892, are in force in Saorstat Eireann. No forms have been prescribed in pursuance of the said regulations."

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BUTTER BEANS—	per lb. 5d	3-lbs. for 1/2
RANGOON BEANS—	per lb. 2d	3-lbs. for 5½d
FLAKE MEAL—	per lb. 3d	3-lbs. for 8½d
MACARONI	" 5d	3 lbs. for 1/2½
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STREAKY, Sliced (Rashers)	"	1/5
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NEW NATIONAL PARTY.

FORTHCOMING WEXFORD DEMONSTRATION.

At a largely attended meeting of Constitutional Nationalists, which included several local merchants and county farmers, held in the Mechanics' Institute, South Main street, Wexford, on last Tuesday night, Captain J. J. O'Leary, T.C., in the unavoidable absence of Mr. J. Galvin, presiding, a local National Organising Committee was formed to arrange for a public demonstration in Wexford in support of the new National Party.

The Waterford demonstration on the 12th of September, at which the movement will be officially launched, was discussed, and it was decided to arrange for a special train from Wexford on that date, and to send a strong contingent with bands and banners.

A sub-committee was appointed to arrange for the Wexford demonstration, which it was decided should take place on the 13th of October. The names of speakers will be announced later.

Mr. B. C. Hackett, General Secretary, Dublin Central Organising Committee, attended, and having explained the new Party's constitution, which was adopted after some discussion, paid a warm tribute to the work which had been performed by the Committee's secretary, Mr. Thomas White, in the organisation of this and other local national meetings.

The Tasmanian State Carbide Works have been purchased by an English syndicate for £140,000.

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NOTICE OF CHARITABLE BEQUESTS.
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Notice is hereby given that the above named Georgina Grace Potter, by her Will dated the 15th day of January, 1925, bequeathed the following legacies, viz.—Twenty-five pounds to the National Children's Hospital, Harcourt street, Dublin; One Hundred pounds to St. Dunstan's Hostel for Blind Soldiers and Sailors, London; Eight Hundred pounds to the Adelaide Hospital, Dublin, to endow a bed in memory of deceased's brother, Major H. W. R. Potter, of the Indian Army, who was killed in action in France on December 20th, 1914. And the said Testatrix appointed Arthur Christian Greer Hall (in Will called Arthur Hall) and Meredith A. Smyth to be Executors of her said Will. The said Testatrix died on the 6th day of July, 1926, and her Will, with one Codicil, was proved by the said Executors, and Probate thereof granted to them forth of the Principal Registry of the High Court of Justice, Saorstat Eireann, on the 28th day of July, 1926.

Dated this 29th day of July, 1926.

T. T. L. OVEREND and CO., Solicitors for said Executors, 12 Ely Place, Dublin.

To the Commissioners of Charitable Donations and Bequests, and all whom it may concern

STATUTORY NOTICE TO CREDITORS.
In the Goods of
GEORGINA GRACE POTTER, late of Ivanhoe, Lansdowne road, in the County of Dublin, and formerly of Dartmouth, Dartry road, in said County, Spinster, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given that pursuant to the 22nd and 23rd Victoria, Cap. 35, all persons claiming to be Creditors or otherwise to have any claim or demand against the Estate or assets of the said Georgina Grace Potter, deceased, who died on the 6th day of July, 1926, are hereby required, on or before the 30th day of August, 1926, to furnish (in writing) the particulars of such claims or demands to the undersigned Solicitors for the Executors of the said deceased, to whom Probate of the Will, with one Codicil, of said Deceased has been granted in the Principal Registry (Probate) of the High Court of Justice in Saorstat Eireann on the 28th day of July, 1926, and in default thereof the said Executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said Testatrix, having regard only to the claims of which notice and particulars shall have been given as above required.

Dated this 29th day of July, 1926.

T. T. L. OVEREND and CO., Solicitors for the said Executors, 12 Ely Place, Dublin.

NOTICE OF CHARITABLE BEQUESTS.
ROBERT AUNGIER, late of 27 Nelson street, Dublin, Gentleman, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given, pursuant to the Statute 30 and 31, Vic., Cap. 54, that the said Robert Aungier by his Will dated the 17th day of April, 1926, made the following charitable bequest:—

To the Reverend Joseph Gorman, of 59 Eccles street, in the City of Dublin C.C., two hundred pounds in trust, that same shall be applied by him for such charitable purposes or purpose incidental to the improvement of St. Joseph's Roman Catholic Church in Berkeley street, in the City of Dublin, or to such other charitable purpose in his Parish as the said Reverend Joseph Gorman in his discretion should think fit.

The Testator died on the 30th April, 1926, and Probate of said Will was, on the 28th day of July, 1926, granted forth of the Principal Probate Registry of the High Court of Justice, Saorstat Eireann, to Thomas Aungier, of The Lens, Wadhurst, Sussex, and Edward MacDermott, of Belfort, Blackrock, in the County of Dublin, the Executors therein named.

Dated this 14th day of August, 1926.

JOSEPH E. MacDERMOTT, Solicitor for the Executors, 21 Nassau street, Dublin.

To the Commissioners of Charitable Donations and Bequests for Saorstat Eireann and all others whom it may concern.

STATUTORY NOTICE TO CREDITORS.
ROSE ANNE MAGAURAN, late of 4 Haigh terrace, Dun Laoghaire, in the County of Dublin, Widow, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given, pursuant to the Statutes 22 and 23 Vict., Cap. 35, that all persons claiming to be creditors or in any wise to have any claims or demands against the assets of the above-named Deceased, who died on the 21st day of June, 1926, are hereby required to furnish, in writing, the particulars of such claims to the undersigned Solicitors for the Executors, to whom Probate of the said will was granted on the 10th day of August, 1926, forth of the Principal Registry of the High Court of Justice, Saorstat Eireann, on or before the 30th day of September, 1926, after which date the Executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said Deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims or demands of which they have had notice.

Dated this 14th day of August, 1926.

ARTHUR COX and CO., Solicitors, 42 and 43 Stephen's Green, Dublin.

IN THE GOODS OF
EDWARD GILLESPIE, late of Sleadrin, Buncrana, in the County of Donegal, Farmer, Deceased.

Take notice that on the expiration of eight days from the date hereof, we will apply to the Proper Officer of the High Court of Justic in Saorstat Eireann for the Grant of Letters of Administration of the personal estate and effects of the above-named Edward Gillespie, who died on the 10th day of November, 1918, unless a Caveat has been duly entered within the aforesaid eight days.

Dated this 19th day of August, 1926.

COLQUHOUN and KING, Solicitors for John Gillespie, 25 Clare street, Dublin.

PUBLIC AMUSEMENTS.

THEATRE ROYAL.
6.45 .... TWICE NIGHTLY 9.0
G. H. ELLIOTT,
In All His Latest Successes.
MADGE KENNEDY and CLAIRE CURZON,
Lowdini, Ringle Bros., Keeley and Aldous.
Three Sisters Fordyce, Emilie Hayes.
STEWART & OLIVE.

THE PAVILION,
DUN LAOGHAIRE. 3.30 to 10.15.
A GREAT MYSTERY PLAY!
LOU TELLEGEN, GERTRUDE ASTOR, And Brilliant Array of well-known Players, in
"THE VERDICT."
At 4.10, 6.35, and 9. Songs of Spain, Eve, etc.

LA SCALA
(The Largest Cinema House in All Ireland).
TO-DAY .... 3 to 10.30 .... CONTINUOUS.
ALICE TERRY in
"ANY WOMAN."
A Charming Romance of a rich girl's fight for existence.
Showing at 3, 25, 5.25, 7.25, 9.20.
COMEDIES. INTEREST. GAZETTE.
FULL LA SCALA ORCHESTRA.

PUBLIC NOTICES.

CLONGOWES WOOD COLLEGE,
SALLINS,
WILL REOPEN
ON
THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 2nd.

The Rector requests parents kindly to give immediate notice in the case of any boys who may not be returning next term, so that those vacancies may be at his disposal.

LEGAL NOTICES.

NOTICE OF CHARITABLE BEQUESTS.
In the Goods of
ROSE ANNE MAGAURAN, late of 4 Haigh terrace, Dun Laoghaire, in the County of Dublin, Widow, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given, pursuant to the 30th and 31st Vic., Chap. 54, Section 19, that the above-named Rose Anne Magauran, deceased, by her Will dated the 1st day of August, 1923, gave and bequeathed the following charitable legacies and bequests, viz:—

1. The sum of £200 for the celebration of Masses by the Franciscan Fathers of Church street, Dublin to be said in a church or churches open to public worship in Ireland, for the repose of the soul of deceased, and of her deceased father, mother, brothers, sister and husband.
2. To the Abbot for the time being at the date of her death of the Benedictine Abbey, Caldy Island, Tenby, Wales, £500 for the purposes of the Abbey.
3. To the Abbess for the time being of the Benedictine Convent, Milford Haven, Wales, £50.
4. To the Catholic Boys' Home, 72 Middle Abbey street, £100 for the purposes of the said Home.
5. To the Carriglea Industrial School, Monkstown, the sum of £1,000, to be applied towards the reduction of the debts due by it. But the Testatrix declared that this legacy should be conditional upon the said school having discharged within two years from the date of her death (independently of the said amount bequeathed by her) at least one-third of the debts due by it at the date of her death. And in the event of its failure to do so, the Testatrix directed that the said legacy should be revoked, and that the said sum of £1,000 should fall into and form part of her residuary estate.
6. To the National Maternity Hospital, Holles street, for the purposes of the said Hospital, the sum of £100.
7. To the Asylum for the Blind, Drumcondra, the sum of £100.
8. To the Night Shelter for Men conducted by the St. Vincent de Paul Society the sum of £100.
9. To the Children's Hospital, Temple street, Dublin, the sum of £100.
10. To St. Joseph's Orphanage, Dun Laoghaire, the sum of £200.
11. To the Asylum for the Blind, Merrion, £50.
12. To the Catholic Truth Society, Ireland, £40.
13. To the Irish Mission to China, £10.
14. To the Parish Priest of Dun Laoghaire at the date of Testatrix's death the sum of £10 towards the erection of the proposed Public Statue to the Sacred Heart in Dun Laoghaire, provided it has not been erected at the date of the Testatrix's death or that the cost thereof had not been defrayed.
15. To the Parish Priest of Dun Laoghaire the sum of £100 towards the erection of the proposed new church at Sallynoggin, but the Testatrix declared that the said bequest should be reduced by the amount of any subscription given by her in her lifetime for the said church.

Subject to the foregoing gifts and bequests the Testatrix directed that the residue of her property should be held in trust for the Catholic Archbishop of Dublin for the time being at the date of her death, and to be used by him as a contribution towards the erection of the proposed Catholic National Cathedral or Basilica of the Sacred Heart in Dublin.

And Notice is hereby further given that the said deceased died on or about the 21st June, 1926, and Probate of her said Will was on the 10th day of August, 1926, granted forth of the Principal Probate Registry of the High Court of Justice in Saorstat Eireann to Patrick Joseph Moran, of the Ship Hotel, Weybridge, in the County of Surrey, retired Civil Servant; Sarah Brennan, of The Rosary, Adelaide street, Dun Laoghaire, spinster, and Arthur Cox, of 42 Stephen's Green, Dublin, solicitor, the three Executors therein named.

Dated this 14th August, 1926.

ARTHUR COX and CO., Solicitors for the said Executors, 42-43 Stephen's Green, Dublin.

To the Commissioners of Charitable Donations and Bequests for Ireland, and to all persons whom it may concern.

WEATHER FORECAST.

General Inference.—The deep depression south of Iceland is filling up. Weather will be fine, apart from local thundery showers, chiefly in Northern districts.

Ireland—Wind between south-west and west, moderate or fresh; occasional showers, with local thunder, sunny intervals; visibility good; moderate temperature.

S.W. Seaboard, Mouth of Channel to South-West Ireland; Irish Sea and St. George's Channel.—Wind between south-west and west, moderate or fresh; mainly fine and sunny, but risk of a few scattered thundery showers; visibility good; sea moderate.

N.W. Seaboard.—Fresh south-west wind; occasional showers; visibility good; sea rather rough.

Dixon and Hempenstall Barometers and Thermometers, 12 Suffolk street, Dublin. —(Advt.)

DUBLIN WEATHER REPORT.

Aug.	Bar.	Thermometer.				Wind.	Rain m.m.	Sun hours
		Temp. 10 p.m.	Max.	Min.	Grass Min.			
12	29.855	61.2	68	52	48	N.E.	5.6	6.9
13	29.824	62.6	67	58	55	N.	0.9	2.4
14	29.944	61.1	68	57	53	N.	2.5	5.3
15	29.853	62.1	77	68	54	—	8.9	3.6
16	29.8 6	65.0	73	60	57	N.	4.4	1.9
17	29.754	63.8	73	53	52	S.W.	4.5	8.9
18	29.855	59 9	69	58	13	S.E.	3.9	9.7

SUN.
SUMMER TIME.
To-day.... Rises .. 6.10 Sets 8.46
To-morrow.. " .. 6.12 " 8.44
Lighting-up Time 9.46

HIGH WATER—DUBLIN.
SUMMER TIME.
To-day.... Morning 8.13 Afternoon 8.50
To-morrow.. " ... 9.26 " 10. 1

SUDDEN DEATH OF LADY GOODWIN.

Suddenly taken ill whilst out walking with her husband and daughter on Tuesday evening, Lady Goodwin, wife of Engineer Vice-Admiral Sir George Goodwin, K.C.B., Warblington, Emsworth, Hampshire, had died when medical assistance arrived. Lady Goodwin was Mary, daughter of the late Thomas Sagar, Fleet Engineer, Royal Navy, and was married in 1885.

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The Irish Times.

THURSDAY, AUGUST 19, 1926.

NEWS SUMMARY.

IRELAND.

To-morrow the Irish pilgrimage to battlefields in France and Flanders, where memorial crosses will be unveiled to the memory of Irishmen of the 16th (Irish) Division who fell in the war, will leave Kingstown *en route* for Wytschaete and Guillemont.—(Page 7.)

The North Tipperary Agricultural Society's Show at Nenagh yesterday attracted over one thousand entries, and was very successful in all respects.—(Page 11.)

GREAT BRITAIN.

Two passengers were killed when a large French air mail-carrying aeroplane crashed near Dymchurch (Kent) yesterday. Nine other persons on the machine, including the pilot, are in a critical condition.—(Page 7.)

Pilot Officer Treharm Gape, Royal Air Force, was killed yesterday near Cambridge, when he was obliged to make a forced landing, and his machine overturned in a hedge and took fire.—(Page 8.)

The Executive of the Miners' Federation yesterday approached the coalowners, with the result that both parties to the dispute will meet in conference this afternoon.—(Page 7.)

Mr. Churchill, at Swansea yesterday, expressed the hope and belief that a lasting and honourable settlement would be reached in the coal trade dispute.—(Page 8.)

ABROAD.

A Peking telegram states that His Majesty's gunboats Woodlark and Gnat have been sent to Changsha to search for Mr. Moore, a British subject, who has been captured by Chinese bandits.—(Page 8.)

SPORTING.

England recovered the "Ashes" yesterday by defeating Australia by 289 runs in the fifth Test match at the Oval.—(Page 7.)

At Mallow yesterday Striped Silk won the Kanturk Plate, The Little Boss the Fermoy Plate, Brackbawn the Buttevant Plate, West Indies the Summer Cup, Tony Lad the Rakes of Mallow Steeplechase, and Grosvenor's Reward the Gold Cup Trial Stakes.—(Page 10.)

At Stockton All Green won the Stockton Stewards' Handicap Plate.—(Page 10.)

At Bath Rockminster won the Bath Summer Handicap.—(Page 10.)

FINANCIAL

London Stock Markets were firmer on the Coal Conference, Rails and Industrials being prominent in the advance.—(Page 3.)

Lombard street was again short of loanable credits, and recourse was again had to the Bank. Borrowers had to pay up to 5 per cent. in some cases, with $4\frac{1}{4}$-$\frac{1}{2}$ per cent. the general charge. Discounts were very firm.—(Page 3.)

Dublin Market was somewhat irregular. Tobacco Shares were strong and Bank Stock and Guinness lower.—(Page 3.)

The Middle East.

When Riza Khan ascended the Imperial Throne of Persia as successor to an effete line of Shahs students of Middle Eastern affairs rejoiced at the prospect of a new era in Persian politics. The new ruler was a strong man, thoroughly modern in his ideas. He seemed to have the fullest confidence of the people, who were galvanised into national enthusiasm by his example. His administration had the good-will of all the Powers which have interests in Persia, and for the first time in many years a really stable Government was in sight. Recent reports from the Middle East, however, indicate that all is not well in Persia. The notorious Pretender, the Salaru'd-Dawla, brother of the deposed Muhammad Ali, has re-appeared, and seems to be in league with Sheikh Mahmoud, the thorn in the side of the Iraq Government, who is holding two British airmen to ransom. The Salaru'd-Dawla has been on the warpath in the Middle East since 1907, when he tried to seize the Persian Throne. He is popular among the discontented Kurds, whom he is rallying now to his standard in defence of the interests of the Qajar dynasty. From the British point of view this development is important in view of the alliance between the Persian and the Iraq rebels. The Bagdad Government has proposed common action against them to Riza Shah.

The economic importance of the area which is threatened by these filibusters is enormous. Now that the Anglo-Turkish dispute about Mosul has been settled, the way is clear for the development of the rich oilfields which have been the source of so much international intrigue during the last twenty years. The Germans were the first to realise the importance of the Turkish oilfields, when Arthur von Gwinner, the head of the Deutsche Bank, evolved his ambitious scheme for the Berlin-Bagdad Railway in 1904. Two years afterwards the Anglo-Persian Oil Company tried to secure development rights; but it was not until Sir Ernest Cassel entered the lists with his Turkish Petroleum Company, in 1912, that international interest in the oilfields really began to grow. The new company acquired the holdings of the German and British pioneers, and in 1914 it was reformed. The Anglo-Persian Company got 50 *per cent.* of the shares, while the Royal Dutch Shell and the Deutsche Bank each got 25 *per cent.* An Armenian named Gulbenkian, who had been financial adviser to Abdul Hamid, had a sort of over-riding interest of 5 *per cent.*—a concession which has made him fabulously wealthy—and this "mystery" millionaire is probably the most powerful individual in the Middle East to-day. After the war Germany's share in the Turkish Petroleum Company was allotted to France, who undertook to lay a pipe-line across the desert through Syria to the sea. Unsettled political conditions have interfered with the work of development.

After the San Remo Conference, in 1920, the Anglo-Persian Oil Company transferred half of its shares in the Turkish company to an American group, led by the Standard Oil interests. Britain, France, Holland and the United States, therefore, have equal holdings, and consequently are concerned equally in the maintenance of peaceful conditions throughout the Middle East. England has spent millions in Iraq and has sacrificed large numbers of lives to secure peace. If she had wished to hand over Mosul to the Turks, they would have given her the fullest concessions for the working of the oilfields. The American taunt, therefore, that Britain's mandatory interest in the land between the rivers is purely commercial has no basis in fact. Undoubtedly, Britain has large business commitments in the Middle East. Her trade with Persia is extensive, and the Anglo-Persian oilfields are an essential part of her imperial economy. There is no doubt at all, however, that her work in the Middle East has brought immense benefits to the native populations. Iraq, formerly a wilderness, now is well on the way to independent nationhood; and, if the United States had accepted the mandate for Armenia, co-operating with England in her heavy task, a lasting peace probably would have been established to-day from the Gulf to the Caspian and from the Mediterranean to the Arabian Sea.

The "Ashes" Come Home.

Throughout England to-day all public troubles and nuisances, including Mr. A. J. Cook, will be submerged by the national pæan for the recovery of the "Ashes." They have sojourned in Australia since 1912, and England's three failures to recapture them after the end of the Great War have provoked much pessimism about the state of English cricket. To-day we know how foolish were the prophets of evil. The last five days have proved that the genius of cricket is still young and vigorous in its ancient home, that Grace and Shrewsbury have found worthy successors, and that maintenance of the grand tradition is assured. The recovery of the "Ashes" after fourteen years is doubly gratifying: not merely the fact, but the manner of it, have written a splendid chapter in the history of the game. As the result, in one case of bad weather, and in the others of an inexorable time-limit, the first four matches of this year's Test series determined nothing. Thus the issue depended on the fifth match that began last Saturday at the Oval—a match in which, since it would be fought to a finish, the victory of one or other side was certain. No man dared to predict where victory would lie; for, on the showing of the three previous matches, there was little to choose between the batting and bowling strengths of the rival teams. Since most of our readers have devoured the daily reports of this match—one of the most thrilling in the whole record of Test matches—we shall not "shoulder our crutch and show how fields were won." The great period of the game began on Tuesday, when Hobbs and Sutcliffe opened England's second innings against a small handicap of 22 runs. Hobbs played the finest innings of his career; Sutcliffe batted with masterly patience and judgment, and their total score was 261 runs. For the seventh time the pair made more than 100 runs in the opening partnership in a Test match between England and Australia.

England's second innings produced 436 runs, and the Australians were faced with a deficit which was truly formidable, but, since there was no time-limit, not altogether desperate. Fifty minutes after the opening of their second innings, however, their plight was desperate, indeed. Their four best batsmen had been dismissed for 35 runs, and 415 runs were the price of victory. In the end the Australians, thanks to Larwood's pace and Rhodes's skill, were dismissed for 125 runs, and England, winning the decisive match by 289 runs, regained the "Ashes." Even first-class cricket has its languors—its occasions of tedium from which first-class Rugby football is wholly free; but it has greater altitudes than any other game can provide, and therein is the spell which has captivated nations and has created literature. In what other game than cricket could we enjoy the triumph of mind over matter, the magnificent use of the psychological moment, which produced the Thermopylæan stand at the beginning of England's second innings? Then Hobbs and Sutcliffe knew that no wicket must fall until the pitch had a chance to dry. No wicket fell and the most critical hours of the game were outstayed. Next to these two the veteran Rhodes was an architect of victory: he played in his first Test match before Mr. Chapman, his gallant and fortunate captain of yesterday, was born. While these men keep the field, while a brilliant band of younger players emulates their standards, and while the game continues to be nourished in the public schools, we need have only one fear for the future of English cricket. That fear resides in the noisy patronage of a section of the Press which alternates between exultations and "defeatism," vulgarises ideals and traditions which it cannot understand, advertises the pettiest of disagreements, and—if it is suffered to have its way—will blight the spirit of sport in England.

Milk and Honey.

If the food value of honey were recognised by the public, that wholesome product would create an extremely large demand. France (says a correspondent of *The Irish Bee Journal*) is far ahead of these countries in pains taken to educate popular opinion. Mr. Victor Dumas, a well-known editor, has diffused apicultural lore throughout the *Midi*. He tells how experiments in a children's sanatorium in the Swiss canton of Saint-Gall have proved that milk sweetened with honey "should have a place of primordial importance in the alimentary *régimes* of infants." Milk and honey form an admirable combination. In butter and milk the precious constituents known as "Vitamines A" abound. During the first year of the Great War, when Denmark was exporting butter and feeding her people on margarine, a four-fold increase of inflammation of the eyes and a 20 *per cent.* increase in the tuberculosis death-rate were observed; and these sinister symptoms vanished as soon as submarine warfare obliged the Danes to consume their own butter. The constituents known as "Vitamines B," found plentifully in honey, are promoters of growth, and are considered indispensable to children. Sugar is sought instinctively by the young people, and the demand for sweetmeats is an expression of this desire. Fruit and honey supply the necessary sugar in a natural form, which passes into the blood without the unpleasant chemistry that is necessary for the adaptation of industrial sugar. A larger appreciation of the merits of honey would have pleasant results in the heather-clad Irish countryside, where every humble family could add a few pounds to its annual income by caring for one or two hives. In ancient Ireland honey was valued so highly that it accompanied almost every dish and was served with roasted meat. To-day it is a luxury of the few, and commonly is purchased in bottles instead of in the wholesome comb.

Rural England.

For long past many societies in England have striven to preserve rural beauties. One body has sought to check the marring of lovely landscapes by advertisement hoardings; another to resist the erection of buildings on beautiful commons, and yet another to prevent the destruction of fine old buildings. A central body—to be called the Society for the Preservation of Rural England—shortly will be formed in London to co-ordinate the endeavours of existing groups, to prevent overlapping and to organise a united appeal to the public for support. Action is not being taken too soon. The revolution in transport caused by the motor car, whereby the population has swarmed from the cities into every sequestered corner of the land, has threatened the obliteration of old landmarks and the inconsiderate flooding of every pleasant scene with bricks, mortar and concrete. National action has been necessary to preserve the vast sweep of the Downs from the exploitation of the speculative builder. State action may become necessary in Ireland, too, in the near future. Already the bungalow-builder has begun to break the calm sweep of the Wicklow hills with his incongruous pavilions, perched in high places. Already, too, environs of Dublin which were sylvan but a few years ago are being desecrated by terraces that might have been transported by Aladdin's genius from Belfast. There is, near Dublin, one suburb that shows how rural amenities may be respected even when a colony of wage-earners is given happy homes. To walk among the tall trees around Killester and see the lights appearing in the well-spaced little houses, bowered in gardens, is to gain a vision of that reconciliation of town and country which so easily might be achieved.

THE KING AND A PET RABBIT.

A PURCHASE AT BOLTON ABBEY.

There has been a delightful sequel to a visit that Miss Kathleen Tomlinson, the daughter of the Rector of Bolton Abbey (the Rev. C. E. Tomlinson) paid to the King the other day. As the result of some bargaining by one of his Equerries, His Majesty has purchased a half-share in "Wilfred," a pet rabbit, owned by Bob Tomlinson, brother of Kathleen. Miss Tomlinson has had a long illness, and is now convalescent and able to be taken about the grounds on a wheeled chair.

The King heard of her illness through the Duchess of Devonshire, and most mornings as he was driven through the Abbey grounds he waved his hand to Kathleen. On Monday His Majesty expressed a desire to see the little invalid, and she was taken to the hall.

She had with her "Wilfred," and the King and Sir Charles Cust were greatly interested in hearing all about her furry pet. Kathleen was a trifle shy, but her bashfulness disappeared when the King talked of "Wilfred." She informed His Majesty that "Wilfred" was a great favourite, and that he was going to be sold, as Bob, her brother, had practically promised the rabbit to someone in the village.

His Majesty and Sir Charles Cust fed the rabbit, and the King remarked that it was rather a shame to sell such an extraordinarily tame rabbit. This, coming to Bob's ears, placed him in a quandary, and he was sorely worried about the problem until yesterday morning. Then one of the King's Equerries visited the rectory, "to come," as he said, "to an understanding about this rabbit." "Is it for sale," he asked Bob, and Bob did not know what to say. He started to explain his position, but the Equerry wanted a definite answer.

"Will you sell it to the King?" he asked. Bob promptly said that he would. "How much is 'Wilfred' worth?" was the Equerry's next question. Bob said that he thought about five shillings, and the Equerry at once produced a ten-shilling note and held it out to the Rector's little son. Bob did not take the note for a time. There were one or two other matters to be cleared up first, he said. For instance, he only had a half-share in the rabbit; the other half belonged to his sister, Kathleen, and then he had half promised to sell the rabbit.

"Well," said the Equerry, still holding the ten-shilling note. "This is what we can do—the King will buy your half-share with this note, and he will present the half of the rabbit that he has bought to Kathleen. Kathleen will then have all the rabbit, and you will have the ten-shilling note."

This seemed a perfectly satisfactory solution to the problem, and Bob took the Treasury note. He held it for a moment or two, and then said—"I will give you five shillings change. This is too much for my share of the rabbit." "No," said the Equerry. "I do not think that I should give the King five shillings change. Your sister has the rabbit—all of it—and, perhaps, you will give her some of the change, too." "That is right," said Bob

SOME OF THE RESULTS OF INDIANISATION.

UNEMPLOYMENT AND WANT.

The immediate result of Indianisation has been acute unemployment and increased poverty among the Anglo-Indians and domiciled Europeans, states the annual report of the European Schools in India Improvement Association, which was issued yesterday.

It goes on to say that it is almost impossible for these people to strike out on new lines. Unskilled labour provides no openings in India for them, and the doors of emigration to the Colonies are largely closed to them on account of the colour prejudice. The Anglo-Indian and domiciled European community in India, which is mainly descended from British administrators, traders and soldiers, number something like 200,000. For their children they ask for a definite "Christian system and a British tone of education" in their schools.

In India there are nearly 450 special European schools, with roughly 42,000 pupils.

FIVE ALPINE CLIMBERS KILLED

THREE CAUGHT IN A SNOWSTORM

VIENNA, Wednesday.

A number of further fatalities on the Alps are reported to-day. A Berlin tourist, Richard Heubach, was killed last Wednesday while ascending the Chalmspitz in Carinthia. Heubach started on the climb in spite of warnings of an approaching storm and inadequately equipped. His body was found two days later covered with snow. In his pocket book were notes giving the time of the accident, stating that his left leg was broken, and that he had pain in a breast, and that he shouted continually for help, realising that unless it came speedily he would be frozen to death.

A Bavarian tourist was killed while gathering Edelweiss on the Sonwendjoch, North Tyrol.

At Ahrntal, in the Tauern Mountains, two men and a girl, who were on their way to attend church at Prettau, were caught in a snowstorm, and afterwards found frozen to death.

A railway official has also been killed while climbing the Pettnauer Riffler, near Innsbruck.—(Reuter)

COURT AND PERSONAL.

Yesterday afternoon the King concluded his visit to the Duke and Duchess of Devonshire at Bolton Abbey, where he has had a week's excellent sport on the well-known grouse moors near Skipton. His Majesty drove from Bolton Abbey to Over Wyresdale, in Lancashire, and is the guest of the Earl and Countess of Sefton at Abbeystead, where the moors promise to afford good sport, not having been shot over this season in anticipation of His Majesty's visit.

Princess Marie José, daughter of the King and Queen of the Belgians, has arrived in England, and is staying at the Ursuline Convent at Brentwood, where she was a pupil during the Great War. During the past four or five years the Princess has paid an annual visit to the convent.

Lady Maud Carnegie motored to Elgin yesterday, and opened the local horticultural show, which, despite the recently unfavourable weather, was very successful, and attracted a large attendance of visitors.

The Earl and Countess of Harewood are in residence at Harewood House, near Leeds. They have their little grandsons, the Hon. George and the Hon. Gerald Lascelles, staying with them, while Princess Mary and Viscount Lascelles are paying a round of visits.

Lord and Lady Dunleath have left Ballywalter Park, Co. Down, for Scotland. The Earl of Portarlington will leave London to-day for Blair Athol. Viscountess Massereene and Ferrard has arrived in Oban from London. Lady Marjorie Erskine has arrived in Stirling.

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OFFICIAL STATEMENT.

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"Mr. Herbert Smith presided over a full meeting of the Executive and the other officers present, and they discussed the position arising out of the Conference decision. As a result, a letter was forwarded to the Coalowners' Association, and a meeting has been arranged to take place between the Mining Association Central Committee and the Miners' Federation Executive at 2.30 to-morrow (Thursday). We have also informed the Government that we are meeting the coal-owners to-morrow afternoon."

It is stated to be the intention of the Cabinet, once a joint meeting has been secured, to endeavour to keep the parties together until some solution is reached, or a definite breakdown takes place.

The Prime Minister was furnished by his Secretary with a report on the latest development in the coal dispute, and the members of the Cabinet Coal Committee were summoned to Downing street by telephone. The meeting took place in the afternoon, Sir Laming Worthington-Evans, Sir Arthur Steel-Maitland and Colonel Lane-Fox being present, accompanied by Sir Horace Wilson, Permanent Secretary of the Ministry of Labour, and Mr. E. A. Gowers, Permanent Under-Secretary for Mines.

DEMANDS COMPARED.

WHAT THE OWNERS HAVE OFFERED.

Contrary to the general expectation, says *The Times*, the first approach decided upon by the Miners' Federation was not to the Government, but to the Mining Association.

The miners require that, whatever the minimum is, it shall be embodied in a national agreement.

Since the stoppage, the owners, it is true, have offered district terms, and it has not been surprising to find that in all the important areas they have agreed in reverting, as the permanent arrangement, to the 1921 minimum, in prescribing an eight-hour day, and in retaining the ratio for the division of the proceeds of the industry between wages and profits of 87.13. The essential features of a national agreement would, therefore, appear to be already existent in the district proposals.

The owners' objection to a national agreement is not so much that it necessarily standardises the wage arrangements of the industry as that the miners' national organisation has become too much, in their opinion, an agency for the prosecution of political aims. The miners will, however, insist with all their powers on a national agreement, and in spite of all it may still be found that the owners have not departed from the spirit and intention of the April undertaking. But even so, there may be sharp controversy in regard to variable district percentages.

NOT REVOLUTION, BUT EVOLUTION.

MR. SMILLIE AND THE COAL DISPUTE.

Speaking at Alnwick last night, Mr. Robert Smillie, M.P., expressed the hope that the negotiations on the coal crisis would end in a satisfactory settlement. He denied that the miners' leaders were responsible for the stoppage. The present situation, he said, was brought about by the owners' action in posting notices on May 1 to work longer hours. In denying the charge that gold was imported from Russia for revolutionary purposes, he said that it was not revolution they wanted, but evolution, to effect a better state of things.

GENERAL STRIKE A FAILURE.

MR. CRAMP'S OPINION.

The issue of the conflict, Mr. Cramp, Industrial Secretary of the National Union of Railwaymen, told the Labour Party's Summer School, at Dunmow yesterday, conclusively proved that under the circumstances prevailing during the general strike there is no half-way house between the ballot box and the machine-gun. He went on to express the belief that the chief lesson which emerged from their experience was that a general strike was quite inadequate to deal with any issue which was complicated or involved.

It would appear that they must henceforth regard the general strike as a weapon to negative something, rather than as one which could achieve results on the positive side. In spite of the denials of the Trades Union Congress General Council, the issue was a constitutional one, because, if successful, it did involve a revolutionary change in their methods. The general strike had been proved a failure, and could never be employed successfully in a positive way against a Government.

MORE MEN RETURN TO WORK.

The following figures relating to the return of miners to work were received last night:—

	Tuesday.	Wednesday.	Increase.
Warwickshire	6,008	6,101	93
Cannock	5,288	5,345	57
Leicester	783	796	13

THE EMPIRE PARLIAMENTARY ASSOCIATION.

TORONTO, Wednesday.

The British and Irish delegates to the Empire Parliamentary Association meeting in Australia arrived here from Ottawa as guests of the Provincial Government. This evening they are being entertained to an official banquet. They leave for the Pacific coast to-morrow.—(Reuter.)

MEXICAN CRISIS.

BISHOPS' MOVE TO CALL OFF BOYCOTT.

FROM "THE TIMES" CORRESPONDENT.
NEW YORK, Wednesday.

The Mexican police yesterday continued to arrest alleged plotters and to attempt to establish a connection between a scheme for a widespread revolt and the border invasions. Meanwhile the Hierarchy was concerting its efforts to re-establish contact with the Government, in the hope, according to Monsignor Pascal Diaz, Bishop of Tabasco, that it would result in fresh meditation.

The bishops realise that the boycott is hitting the Catholics as much as the Government, and they seem to be anxious to utilise the early re-convening of the Congress to initiate reconciliation moves, which would avoid the appearance of retreat.

It appears that the Government's hand has been considerably strengthened by the firm refusal of the United States to intervene, as well as by the timely stoppage of General Estrada's schemes. The Government is consequently maintaining an uncompromising attitude.

Official optimism, however, in regard to the whole outlook cannot conceal the fact that there have been considerable movements of troops from the capital in the past few days, partly towards the States of Hidalgo and Guerrero.

AMBASSADOR'S POSITION.

There is much speculation in Washington in regard to the future of Mr. Sheffield, the United States Ambassador, who is now returning on holiday. A rumour was first circulated of the approaching resignation of Mr. Kellogg, the Secretary of State. The emphatic denial of this report from the summer "White House" naturally caused the counter-rumour that Mr. Sheffield would resign.

The Ambassador is known to have advocated a more vigorous policy towards Mexico, particularly in regard to interference with "American rights," as to land and oil concessions.

The obvious victory of counsels of moderation in Administration circles, coupled with the announcements that Mr. Kellogg's health is better than usual, causes much displeasure among Mr. Sheffield's admirers

SPANISH INFLUENCES.

In an interview in the *New York World*, Mr. H. H. Herring, Secretary of the Congregational Church's Social Relations Committee, which has been visiting Mexico, deprecates the Ambassador's lack of appreciation for "the enthusiasm and idealism which induces the Mexican fight for independence."

It is, he points out, not so much a struggle against the Roman Catholic Church, as an effort of the Mexican Indian finally to throw off Spanish influences—an effort which, he says, is fully deserving of American sympathy.

With an election in the offing, Mr. Coolidge is unlikely to neglect the fact that Protestant Republican voters considerably outnumber Roman Catholics in the United States.

CALIFORNIAN FOREST FIRES.

GIANT REDWOOD TREES THREATENED.

SAN FRANCISCO, Tuesday.

California's world-famous giant redwood trees—attaining a height of from two to three hundred feet—in Sequoia National Forest are threatened by a forest fire originating in the vicinity of the township of Badger. The fire has already swept sixty thousand acres of brushland and small timber, and is now forging ahead towards the redwood canyon.

All available forces in the Federal service and the National Park service are engaged in fighting the advancing flames, while two thousand volunteers are requested immediately.—(Reuter.)

70 YEARS YOUNG.

MAN'S MOST EFFICIENT AGE, SAYS DOCTOR.

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.
CHICAGO, Wednesday.

Man is most efficient and useful at the age of seventy, declares Dr. Hermann Bundesen, the Chicago City Health Commissioner.

Seventy, he says, is the age of highest mentality, and it is a man's duty to keep his body fit, so that he may be an asset at that time of life.

"Exercise, fresh air and suitable and timely recreation are necessary to keep the body physically efficient," added the doctor, who prescribes a regular physical examination in order to maintain a high standard of health.

Fast living and the waste of physical energies shorten life, he says, adding: "Man is made, or unmade, by his own actions. Health conservation while in youth is more important for a healthy and happy old age than a big bank account"

EUPEN AND MALMEDY.

RETURN TO GERMANY RUMOURS DENIED.

BRUSSELS, Wednesday.

The Belgian Government formally denies the reports appearing in an American newspaper to the effect that Belgium is alleged to owe the sum of 1,500,000,000 francs to Holland, also that an arrangement is at present being negotiated between Belgium and Germany for the return of the districts of Eupen and Malmedy to Germany in return for the redemption of the 6,000,000,000 marks issued by the Germans in Belgium during the war.—(Reuter.)

[Eupen, a town of Rhenish Prussia, on the Vedre, close to the Belgian frontier, and twelve miles by rail south of Aix-la-Chapelle, has flourishing woollen manufactures, besides dye works, machine shops, breweries, etc. Its population is 15,441. Malmedy (pop. 5,078) is on the Warche, 51 miles south of Aix-la-Chapelle. Here, in 1896, the German Government established a fortified camp.]

BRITISH SOVEREIGNS FOR AMERICA.

TWO SHIPMENTS FROM AUSTRALIA.

NEW YORK, Wednesday.

The largest shipment of gold so far received from Australia, aggregating, it is reported, approximately $30,000,000, arrived at San Francisco to-day.

The shipment, which consisted largely of British sovereigns, will be transferred to the Federal Reserve Bank of New York for the bank account of the Bank of England in settlement of international balances.

A SECOND CONSIGNMENT.

One million sovereigns are going to America from Sydney in the steamship Ventura.—(Reuter.)

INDEPENDENCE FOR THE PHILIPPINES.

REPORTED PROMISE BY PRESIDENT COOLIDGE.

U.S. TO WITHDRAW.

HELP IN ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT TO BE GIVEN.

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.
CEBU (PHILIPPINES), Wednesday.

The remarkable statement that President Coolidge had promised him that the United States would withdraw from the Philippines as soon as the natural resources of the islands were developed was made to-day by Senator Osmena, a prominent Filipino leader, in a speech at a luncheon given in honour of Mr. Carmi Thompson, former Treasurer of the United States and acting personal representative of President Coolidge, who is at present touring the islands investigating the conditions here.

Senator Osmena explained that during his recent visit to the United States he had a private interview with President Coolidge, at which the President said:—

> "The Administration has a sincere interest in the welfare of the Philippines, and we are sending an emissary in the person of Mr. Thompson to see how the Administration may be helpful to you.
>
> "We are going to withdraw from the Philippines, but we do not intend to leave you with limited resources.
>
> "We desire first to assist you in promoting your economic development, and in obtaining resources sufficient for your self-support."

In conversation with newspaper representatives, who besieged him after the luncheon, Senator Osmena added that the President had also said to him: "We cannot perform the work of development alone, nor is it desirable. We want the Filipinos to participate."

7,000 ISLANDS.

LIFE ON THE PHILIPPINES.

Extending almost due north and south from Formosa to Boreno and the Moluccas, the Philippine Islands form the largest island group of the Malay Archipelago. Of the 7,000 islands and islets which compose the group, only 466 have areas of one square mile or more, the three most important being Luzon (40,814 square miles), Mindanao (36,906), Samar (5,124). The islands were ceded by Spain to the United States by the peace treaty between these two countries on April 11th, 1899.

The Philippine census of 1918 returned a population of 10,314,310, chiefly of the Malay race, 91 per cent. of whom are Christians, and only 932,953, or 9 per cent., are Moros and pagans. Uimla, the capital, has a population of 285,306, mostly Filipinos, the island also being inhabited by Chinese in large numbers, Japanese, Americans, Spaniards, English, German, Swiss and other nationalities.

A return of the births, deaths and marriages for 1922 gives the figures at 349,138, 189,649 and 63,316, respectively.

There are virtually 8,000,000 adherents of the Roman Catholic Church, the dominant religion of the islands. In 1901 an independent Filipino Church was founded, the dogmas of this new sect being almost identical with those of the Church of Rome. Protestant denominations also have extensive organisations throughout the islands. To a large extent the inhabitants of Mindanao and Sulu are Mohammedans, and there are pagan tribes in some of the remote regions.

The spread of learning through the medium of the English language is the principal plank in the educational programme. Pupils are taught free, and the annual expenditure is approximately £2,360,000. In December, 1922, there was an annual enrolment of 1,097,144 pupils in the 7,634 public schools.

It is of interest to note that of the many special educational establishments, 355 schools specialise in agriculture.

Nor is the higher education neglected; there is the State-supported University and three private Universities, while there are in addition 495 private schools of all grades.

Numerous newspapers and periodicals in English are in circulation; also in Spanish, Chinese and native dialects.

The government of the islands is administered through the Executive, the Legislative and the Judicial Departments. The Governor-General is appointed by the United States on the advice of the Senate. He holds sway over the Secretaries of the following executive departments—Interior, Public Instruction, Finance, Justice, Agriculture and Natural Resources, and Commerce and Communications. The Vice-Governor, who is also Secretary of Public Instruction, is elected in the same manner as his chief, the remaining Secretaries being Filipinos.

There are twenty-four members of the Senate and ninety-three deputies in the House of Representatives, and with the exception of nine representatives and two senators all are elected by popular vote and represent forty-eight provinces of the Archipelago. A Council of State acts as a connecting link between the executive and legislative branches of the Government, and the Council is composed of the Governor-General, President; the President of both Houses of the Legislature, and the Secretaries of the Departments.

The Provincial and Municipal Governments are under the supervision of the Department of the Interior, through the Executive Bureau and the Bureau of Non-Christian Tribes. The Chief Executive of each Province is a Provincial Governor. He with two other members form the Provincial Board which constitutes the legislative branch of the Provincial Government. The Municipal President is on the Chief Executive of each town or municipality. The local Municipal Councils consist of from eight to eighteen Councillors according to the size of the municipality.

The Philippine Constabulary and Municipal Police are responsible for the public order, and the United States maintains an army of 12,000 troops, including five regiments of Filipino soldiers. In the administration of justice there are:—A Supreme Court; twenty-seven judicial districts, each with a judge of first instance, with the exception of seven districts which have two judges each.

The principal products are:—Rough rice, Manila hemp, cocoanut, sugar cane, corn, tobacco and magney, and in the production of copra and cocoanut oil the islands are among the foremost countries of the world. The live stock industry is maintaining a steady increase. There are vast tracts of uncultivated land, and the islands possess about 72,224 square miles of forests. The islands, too, are rich in mineral wealth.

The values of the imports and exports for 1923 were, £16,954,847 and £22,374,306, respectively.

There are eleven banks operating on the islands. The Philippine peso is equivalent to 50 cents of the United States money, and the maintenance of the parity of the peso with the gold is provided for by the Gold Standard Fund Act of June 13, 1922. The coins are coined in the Mint at Manilo.

"MEDICALLY UNFIT" MEN.

WINNERS OF ATHLETIC CONTESTS.

At the meeting of the Lanarkshire Insurance Commissioners at Glasgow yesterday, reference was made to certification under the Health Insurance Act, and one member, quoting two instances of men who had been certified as "unfit for work," said that one was able to go to a sports meeting and had the stamina to win a mile race, while the other was able to go to a boxing tournament and win a ten-stone contest.

IRELAND'S DEAD IN FLANDERS.

PILGRIMAGE TO THE BATTLEFIELDS.

MEMORIAL CROSSES TO BE UNVEILED.

The Irish pilgrimage to the battlefields of France and Flanders, one hundred and forty strong, will leave Kingstown to-morrow night for Holyhead, *en route* for Wytschaete and Guillemont, where Celtic crosses of Irish granite will be unveiled to the memory of the officers and other ranks of the 16th (Irish) Division, who died in the war.

The pilgrimage will be led by Major-General Sir W. B. Hickie, who commanded the formation on the Western front. At Wytschaete the unveiling ceremony will be performed by General Borremans, Inspector-General of Infantry of the Belgian Army, representing the King of the Belgians; and at the Grand Place, Guillemont, where the second cross has been erected, Marshal Joffre, on behalf of the French Government, will preside at the ceremony.

ARRIVAL IN LONDON.

IRISH GUARDS' PIPERS TO ATTEND.

When the pilgrimage reaches London on Saturday morning it will be joined by a big batch of ex-Service men and their friends, and half-a-dozen pipers and three drummers of the Irish Guards in uniform. The band will take part in all the ceremonies, and will be assisted at the sites of the crosses by brass and reed bands of the French and Belgian Armies. The party will entrain at Victoria Station for Dover, *en route* for Ostend, where a halt for lunch will be made. After lunch the journey will be continued as far as Ypres, where the monument erected to Munstermen who laid down their lives in the war will be dedicated by the Rev. Father L. J. Stafford, who was chaplain to the 10th (Irish) Division at Gallipoli, and the Rev. R. Bird, D.S.O., a former chaplain to the forces. The memorial was erected two years ago by the members of the British Legion and ex-Service men of Munster.

The party will remain at Ypres for the night, and on Sunday morning, after the celebration of Mass and Divine Service, will leave for Wytschaete by motor cars, a large fleet of which have been chartered for the purpose.

UNVEILING CEREMONY.

The ceremony of unveiling the cross at Wytschaete will be an impressive one, and will be followed by a short address by General Borremans on the splendid services of Irish troops to the Allies in the Great War. After the two minutes' silence has been observed, a squad of trumpeters will sound the "Last Post" and the "Réveille." The band of a Belgian infantry regiment will then play the National Anthems of the Allies. The Rev. Mother of the Hospice at Locre, accompanied by all the Sisters of the Community and the children of the school, are travelling specially to Wytschaete for the ceremony, at the conclusion of which General Borremans, on behalf of the Pilgrimage Committee, will present to the Rev. Mother the Irish War Memorial Records, a set of volumes, beautifully bound in leather, with fly leaves of Irish poplin, contained in a case of polished mahogany.

Immediately after the ceremony the pilgrimage will proceed by road to Amiens, where a halt will be made for the night. The route to be taken will give the party ample opportunity of viewing large sectors of the battlefields, the towns touched on the way being Armentieres, Lens, Arras, Bapaume, Albert and Amiens.

AT GUILLEMONT.

Early on Monday morning the pilgrimage will set out from Amiens, through Albert, to Guillemont, where, in the unavoidable absence of Marshal Foch, another great French officer, Marshal Joffre, will unveil the memorial, and deliver an address on the valour of the Irish troops. A band and a picked guard of honour of the French Army will be present, and, as at Wytschaete, the *Maire* of the town and other civic dignitaries will be present.

Following this ceremony, the pilgrimage will leave Guillemont for Thiepval, where a beautiful memorial has been erected by the people of Ulster to the gallant dead of the 36th (Ulster) Division. Here a wreath will be reverently laid, after which the party will return to Amiens and to entrain for Ostend, *en route* for London, which will be reached about midnight.

THE CENOTAPH IN WHITEHALL.

On Tuesday morning the party will assemble at the Horse Guards, and march to the Cenotaph in Whitehall, where a wreath will be placed on the monument. Following the brief ceremony there a visit will be paid to Westminster Abbey, and a floral tribute to the gallant dead will be laid on the tomb of the Unknown Warrior. Westminster Cathedral will also be visited, where many of the pilgrims will assist at Mass at about noon. At the conclusion of the Mass the Dead March will be played on the grand organ. Arrangements have been made for the placing of wreaths at the war memorials in Paris, Rome and Washington, simultaneously with the laying of one at the Cenotaph in Whitehall. At the tomb of the Unknown Warrior at the *Arc de Triomphe* in Paris, a wreath will be laid by General Sir Edward Bellingham, and at Brussels by Captain S. B. Minch.

Among those who will accompany the pilgrimage are:—Lieutenant-General Sir Bryan Mahon, Major-General Sir W. B. Hickie, and his sisters, Miss Lucila Hickie and Mrs. Dolores Deasy; Sir William Taylor, Sir Robert Tate, Judge Doyle, brother of the Rev. Father W. Doyle, S.J., who lost his life while serving with the 16th (Irish) Division; Captain Henry Harrison and Mr. Lewis Beatty, representing the Irish National War Memorial Committee; Major Lefroy, the Rev. Father Maurice O'Connell, formerly Senior Chaplain to the Division; Captain W. Redmond, D.S.O., T.D.; General Beecham-Doran; Colonel John Brown and Mr. Lees, representing the British Legion, London; the Rev. C. A. W. Hammick, Colonel E. St. George Smith, Dr. James Ashe, Mr. J. J. Cole, T.D., and Alderman Hubbard Clark.

IRISH REGIMENTS TO BE REPRESENTED.

All the Irish regiments will be represented by soldiers still serving with the units or ex-Service men, and three patients of the Blackrock Hospital will travel as representatives of the disabled ex-Service men. The following units and corps will be represented:—The 18th Royal Irish Regiment, the Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers, the Royal Irish Fusiliers, the Royal Dublin Fusiliers, the Royal Munster Fusiliers, the 5th Royal Irish Lancers, the Connaught Rangers, the 8th King's Royal Irish Hussars, the Royal Inniskilling Dragoons, the South Irish Horse, the North Irish Horse, the Royal Field Artillery, the Royal Garrison Artillery, the Royal Naval Division, the Royal Army Service Corps, the Royal Tank Corps, and the Royal Air Force.

The pilgrimage will be joined *en route* by a detachment of ex-Service men from the Channel Islands, who served with the Division on active Service.

THE SOJOURN TAX IN BELGIUM.

NO REPRESENTATIONS BY BRITAIN OR U.S.

BRUSSELS, Wednesday.

The *Derniere Heure* says that it is informed at the Prime Minister's office that no official representations regarding the sojourn tax have been made at the Ministry of Foreign Affairs by the British or United States Embassies.

The *Derniere Heure* adds that officials point out that the effect of the tax has been misunderstood, and that it is a special tax directed against foreigners whose "habitual residence" is in a country with an appreciated exchange.—(Reuter.)

LATE NEWS

FIRST STEP TO PEACE.

BUSINESS-LIKE AND WISE MOVE.

In a leading article *The Times* observes:—The Executive Committee of the Miners' Federation, having obtained freedom to negotiate, took a step yesterday which was at once business-like and wise. A direct approach was made in the course of the morning to the Mining Association, which is the colliery owners' national organisation, and a joint meeting has been arranged for to-day. There had been a possibility that the miners would first approach the Government and employ indirect means of getting into touch with the owners. The straight course is the better one. The dispute, which has laid the industry idle for sixteen weeks, is primarily the concern of the colliery owners and the miners, and the responsibility for settling it is theirs. If they have the will, they have also the power to make an agreement without assistance.

The community is suffering, and must continue to suffer, but it cannot compel the owners and miners to come to an agreement, proceeds *The Times*. It has, however, the right to claim that the agreement to be sought and made shall provide an assurance of a lasting settlement in an industry where disputes create such great and damaging reactions upon every department of the activities of the nation. A lasting settlement is what the industry itself requires. The plans of development and reorganisation which are essential for its prosperity can only be undertaken if there is that guarantee of freedom from disturbance and interruption that only a long-term agreement can provide.

If the miners' leaders have the genuine belief which the Royal Commission's report warrants their having in the recuperative powers of the industry, provided an economic settlement is quickly made and reorganisation is scientifically and energetically undertaken, then they must provide their share of the guarantee of peace.

A new hope will arise both in the industry and in the country if those who will meet to resume negotiations to-day are animated by a willingness to contribute as much as they can to a settlement. It is inevitable that sacrifices should be made. After four months of idleness and waste, those sacrifices may have to be greater than, perhaps, they need have been, though a sort of "Indian summer" of prosperity may last for a time while depleted coal stocks are being replenished. The problem to be worked out is how those sacrifices should be shared, how much must be borne now, and whether the load can be lightened by spreading it judiciously over a reasonable period. The proof of an earnestness for peace will be seen in the contribution that each party makes to attain it.

FREE STATE DIVIDENDS.

THE DOUBLE INCOME TAX PROBLEM.

In its City Notes column *The Times* states:—Comments in these columns yesterday on the agreement concluded between the British and Irish Free State Governments for the solution of the double income tax problem have attracted much attention, and in view of the practical interest which the matter has for a large body of investors it is desirable to amplify the particulars already given.

In our summary of the bases of agreement it was stated that the British Inland Revenue will recover from the Irish Inland Revenue the Irish income tax deducted from dividends payable to persons resident in Great Britain or Northern Ireland, but not in the Irish Free State, and that the British and Irish Governments will adjust the matter of the tax between themselves without troubling the recipient of the dividend. We learn that the particulars—customer's name and address, and details of the dividends—to be furnished by the British Bank are required in order that the customer, where liable, may be directly assessed to British income tax in respect to the dividend. The recipient of the dividend will claim repayment of the Irish income tax from the Irish Inland Revenue, but he may, if he so desires, authorise the Irish Inland Revenue to make the repayment on his behalf direct to the British Inland Revenue to be applied in satisfaction of British tax due from him. The British Inland Revenue will pay over to the claimant any excess of the repayment received by them over the British tax due from him.

The arrangement is, as was indicated, designed to prevent the initial double payment of the two taxes without relief, but the British Inland Revenue will in no sense act as the claimant's agent in the prosecution of his claim to repayment of the Irish tax, and whether or not he avails himself of the arrangement it will be for him to satisfy the Irish Inland Revenue of his title to the repayment.

TURKEY AND FOREIGN CHAMBERS.

A RIDICULOUS POSITION.

FROM "THE TIMES" CORRESPONDENT.
CONSTANTINOPLE, Wednesday.

The dispute regarding the existence of foreign Chambers of Commerce in Turkey is entering on a ridiculous and humiliating phase. The police have paid another visit to the British Chamber, demanding why the order to close had not been complied with. The Secretary replied by asking for a written notification that the Chamber must be closed, but this was not forthcoming. It appears that other Chambers accepted verbal notification, but the British Chamber rightly insists on receiving it in writing.

Regarding the Government's alleged desire that the Chambers shall change their names, becoming associations or companies, it is pointed out that the British Chamber is an incorporated body, and approval would have to be obtained from England and certain formalities would have to be undergone before the name could be changed. In any case, the position is that the Chambers are virtually closed, as work cannot be carried out with the threat of closure always hanging over them.

It would be more satisfactory if the authorities definitely revealed their intentions, instead of issuing contradictory instructions and assurances every other day.

FLOODS IN BURMA.

A TOWN UNDER WATER.

FROM "THE TIMES" CORRESPONDENT.
RANGOON, Wednesday.

Rangoon remains isolated, the railway having been washed away at numerous points, which cannot be repaired till the very extensive floods subside. It is officially stated that the ancient town of Pegu has remained inundated during the past four days, the flood covering the entire town to a depth varying from one to four feet, and the inhabitants going about in boats.

Near Pegu the flood waters are rushing over an important embankment, endangering the life of the neighbouring villages. No mails have been received in Rangoon for several days from towns on the railway, but it is known that vast areas in Lower Burma are under water that is presumably held up by railway embankments, and it is feared that great damage has been done to the crops. It is still raining heavily in parts of Burma.

BELGIUM'S FINANCIAL SITUATION.

BRUSSELS, Wednesday.

The Council of Ministers to-day adopted the text of the bill to be submitted to the King forbidding the importation of white bread.

With regard to public works in the Congo, the Council decided to postpone all works not yet commenced and suspend the execution of all those actually being carried on which are not considered to be strictly indispensable.—(Reuter.)

PRINCE IN MOTOR COLLISION.

VIENNA, Wednesday.

Prince Felix of Luxemburg while driving a motor car near Steinach collided with another car. Fortunately no one was injured.—(Reuter.)

ENGLAND WINS "THE ASHES."

EXCITING FINISH TO LAST TEST.

AUSTRALIA LOSES BY 289 RUNS AT THE OVAL.

CAPTAIN'S VIEWS.

"BEATEN ON THEIR MERITS," SAYS MR. COLLINS.

England regained "the Ashes" yesterday in the final Test Match—the only one of the series which was played to a finish. Australia were set 415 runs to win, but they collapsed unexpectedly, and were all out for 125, the result of the present series of games being:—

England	Won 1
Australia	Won 0

Drawn 4.

The scene at the Oval immediately after England's victory will be remembered by all who witnessed it. Geary's last ball of the match was delivered in dead silence. Then the "spread-eagling" of Mailey's wicket was the signal for a frantic outburst from all over the enclosure. In the stands men sacrificed their hats, hugged each other, and danced madly; women grew hysterical.

Mailey immediately secured the ball as a souvenir, and Strudwick picked up the last stump to fall. Hobbs was cut off by the crowd, and had to be rescued from his admirers, and carried to the stand.

In a few seconds a crowd of ten thousand formed in front of the pavilion and yelled for the captains.

A CHEERING CROWD.

After Mr. Chapman and Mr. Collins had made their bow, the crowd yelled for Sutcliffe and Hobbs, and when they appeared on the balcony a call was made for Rhodes and the rest of the English team. Mr. Collins then appeared again, and caused roars of laughter by playfully shaking his fist at Hobbs.

Then there was a demand for the Australians. When all was quiet, the English Eleven was photographed with the "Ashes."

One of the most interested spectators of the final scenes was King Feisul of Iraq, who arrived at the Oval during the afternoon.

Other visitors were Prince Arthur of Connaught, the Prime Minister, Sir L. Worthington-Evans, Sir A. Steel-Maitland, Lord Forster and Lord Harris.

£11,000 "GATE."

The number of spectators who paid for admission at the Oval yesterday was 18,058, making a total for the four days of 76,472, which, with members and holders of privilege tickets, brought the total at the match to about 103,000. The exact proceeds could not be calculated, but, as the charge for admission was three shillings, the amount taken at the gates is estimated at £11,470.

HOW ENGLAND WON.

BOWLING TOO GOOD FOR AUSTRALIANS.

Rain interfered considerably with the final stages of the match. The fourth day's play did not start until twenty minutes past twelve, instead of noon, and at a quarter-past one, a steady downpour caused a break of nearly two hours. Happily the rain was never very severe, and the spectators forgot their own discomforts when England's moment of supremacy at length was at hand. After fourteen years, Australia had been outplayed in England, and the enthusiasm of the crowd could not be restrained as the bowlers and fieldsmen forced home the advantage secured by the wonderful batting of Hobbs and Sutcliffe.

Whether Australia had to begin the last innings on a pitch more helpful to the bowlers than was the case on Tuesday when Hobbs and Sutcliffe by their skill put England in a sound position, in spite of the obvious handicap of a slow pitch, that was increased by fieldsmen crowding close to the bat, must remain largely a matter of conjecture. The fact remains that, whereas England's crack batsmen succeeded, Australia's most famous run-getters failed.

RETURN OF RHODES.

Their downfall was due to the pace of England's youngest bowler, Larwood, and the skill of Rhodes, the veteran all-round player, who was first played for England for his bowling, and later for his batting. Rhodes holds with Hobbs the record for an opening Test Match partnership, 323, made at Melbourne over fourteen years ago, and at the age of 48 he proved successful with the ball in each innings of this deciding match. The English bowling, which was supported by Geary, Larwood and Woolley (who took catches in the slips), turned the heavy task confronting Australia into an almost impossible proposition.

The loss of four wickets for 35 runs in fifty minutes, when 415 were wanted for victory, pointed to a complete collapse, but the Australian batsmen seemed without nerves. The veteran Bardsley, and Andrews batted in the sunshine as if nothing like danger threatened, and by fine stroke-play brought out the joys of cricket.

When the game was resumed, England was leading by 363 runs with four wickets in hand (375-6). Geary soon fell, but Rhodes stayed until the total reached 425, batting an hour. Tate hit away freely, and made some powerful drives, and after the prolonged luncheon, when Andrews finished the innings by catching Strudwick at silly point, the Sussex man took out his bat for 33.

Altogether England batted eight hours and a quarter for the 436 runs. The Australian bowling shows interesting figures. Only Macartney failed to get a wicket, but of the five men tried he was the most difficult to

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score from. If two possible chances were dropped and a few runs given away, Australia in the field maintained the high reputation always held by teams representing the Commonwealth.

If Australia did well to keep down runs, England far exceeded such work by an absolutely deadly attack, before which the flower of the opposition went down in a manner to which nothing in this series of tests could be compared. In eighty minutes half the Australian side fell for a mere 63. Woodfull, the most heart-breaking defender for anyone to bowl at, hit a ball straight into the hands of Geary at second slip, with just a single on the board.

Chapman had brought Rhodes from long leg to the gully, and put Geary into the exact spot to which the catch came.

Macartney played his own glorious game, but when a few characteristic strokes had earned cheers he went for a rather wide rising ball, and Geary, moving to his right, brought off a very smart catch.

The downfall of the steadiest stonewaller and the most disconcerting punishing batsman for 31 runs alone would have caused exultation, and when Larwood, diving in from second slip, caught Ponsford close to the ground off Rhodes, the scene became wildly exciting. The batting failures did not end here. Collins, the captain, who stood in the breach and did most towards securing Australia's first innings lead, turned a ball from Rhodes to first slip, where Woolley held the catch—the Yorkshireman had relieved Tate at the pavilion end. Four wickets for 35.

Then came some beautiful play by Andrews and Bardsley, each of whom hit Rhodes to the boundary—a pull and a cut respectively—but when Larwood had another turn, Andrews pulled a ball round to leg, and Tate standing close in, shot out his right hand and brought off yet another good catch, making half the side out for 63.

After refreshments had been brought out—there was no tea interval, as the innings did not begin until 3.30 p.m.—Bardsley and Gregory, the two left-handers, struggled for nearly twenty minutes. Then both failed in efforts at big hits and fell at 83. Woolley held a "skier" at slip off Rhodes, and Gregory, trying to drive Tate, gave a plain catch to Sutcliffe at mid-off. Another stonewaller and bigger hitter had gone.

Richardson hit Rhodes in front of square leg to the boundary, but the Yorkshireman had an immediate revenge, and eight men were out for 87. Oldfield and Grimmett, the men who actually carried Australia's first inning's total past that of England, again gave trouble. Chapman quickly changed his bowling, and Stevens, after being hit for two 4's, bowled Oldfield.

Still the batsmen punished any loose ball, and Mailey drove Geary to the off-boundary before a yorker from the Leicestershireman finished the match.

In rather less than two hours and a half Australia went down for 125 runs and England had won the match by 289 runs. If not so startling as the collapse in 1912, when Australia were dismissed for 61, the victory was more decisive than when last England gained the supremacy at cricket, for then the margin was 244 runs.

Of the men then on the conquering side, Rhodes, Woolley and Hobbs were in the present team. As on that occasion, four days proved sufficient for the deciding match.

With the downfall of Mailey's wicket the crowd gave a tremendous shout and thousands rushed to the pavilion. For more than half an hour there was a wild scene of enthusiasm.

So far as could be gathered from the players, the pitch did not help bowlers more than when England played that glorious second innings which won the match. In a short day's play all the honours had gone to England, whose last six wickets produced 61 runs, while all Australia fell for 125. Sutcliffe, by scoring 237, and Hobbs, with 137, carried off the batting honours.

Larwood, with six wickets for 116, and Rhodes, with six for 79, were the most deadly bowlers; but there was not a failure on the England side, and the whole team worked for the culminating triumph.

THE SCORE SHEET.

SUCCESS OF RHODES AND LARWOOD.

ENGLAND.

First Innings.		Second Innings.	
Hobbs b Mailey	37	b Gregory	100
Sutcliffe b Mailey	76	b Mailey	161
Woolley b Mailey	18	l.b.w. b Richardson	27
Hendren b Gregory	8	c Oldfield b Grimmett	15
A. P. F. Chapman st Oldfield b Mailey	49	b Richardson	19
G. T. S. Stevens c Andrews b Mailey	17	c Mailey b Grimmett	22
Rhodes c Oldfield b Mailey	28	l.b.w. b Grimmett	14
Geary run out	9	c Oldfield b Gregory	1
Tate b Grimmett	23	not out	33
Larwood c Andrews b Grimmett	0	b Mailey	5
Strudwick not out	4	c Andrews b Mailey	2
Extras—B. 6, l.b. 5	11	Extras—B. 19, l.b.18	37
Total	280	Total	436

AUSTRALIA.

First Innings.		Second Innings.	
W. M. Woodfull b Rhodes	35	c Geary b Larwood	0
W. Bardsley c Strudwick b Larwood	2	c Woolley b Rhodes	21
C. G. Macartney b Stevens	25	c Geary b Larwood	16
W. H. Ponsford run out	2	c Larwood b Rhodes	12
T. J. E. Andrews b Larwood	3	c Tate b Larwood	15
H. L. Collins c Stevens b Larwood	61	c Woolley b Rhodes	4
A. J. Richardson c Geary b Rhodes	16	b Rhodes	4
J. M. Gregory c Stevens b Tate	73	c Sutcliffe b Tate	9
W. A. Oldfield not out	33	b Stevens	23
C. V. Grimmett b Tate	35	not out	8
A. A. Mailey c Strudwick b Tate	0	b Geary	6
Extras—B. 5, l.b. 12	17	Extras—B. 7	7
Total	302	Total	125

BOWLING.

	O.	M.	R.	W.
ENGLAND—First Innings.				
Gregory	15	4	31	1
Grimmett	33	12	74	2
Mailey	33.5	3	138	6
Macartney	6	3	16	0
Richardson	7	2	10	0
ENGLAND—Second Innings.				
Gregory	18	1	58	2
Grimmett	55	17	108	3
Mailey	42.5	6	128	3
Macartney	26	16	24	0
Richardson	41	21	81	2
AUSTRALIA—First Innings.				
Tate	37.1	17	40	3
Larwood	34	11	82	3
Geary	27	8	43	0
Stevens	29	3	85	1
Rhodes	25	15	35	2
AUSTRALIA—Second Innings.				
Larwood	14	3	34	3
Tate	9	4	12	1
Rhodes	20	9	44	4
Geary	6.3	2	15	1
Stevens	3	1	13	1

FALL OF WICKETS.

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
ENGLAND—First Innings.	53	91	108	189	213	214	231	266	266	280
ENGLAND—Second Innings.	172	220	277	316	373	375	382	425	430	436
AUSTRALIA—First Innings.	9	44	51	59	90	122	229	231	298	302
AUSTRALIA—Second Innings.	1	31	31	35	63	83	83	87	114	125

WHAT THEY THINK.

MR. CHAPMAN'S TRIBUTE TO HIS TEAM.

Interviewed after most of the excitement had died down, Mr. A. P. F. Chapman, the captain of the England team, said that he was the proudest and happiest man in England. Modest as to his own share in the success, he paid a great tribute to the men under him. He is especially enthusiastic over the doings of Hobbs and Sutcliffe.

"Their batting in the circumstances was wonderful," he said, "and to-day, when victory first came in sight, the bowling of Rhodes, no less than that of Larwood, was magnificent. Every man in the team pulled his weight, and, if there were some batting failures, ample amends were made by fine work in the field and the general team spirit which existed. I can never hope to lead a better team of triers."

MR. H. L. COLLINS.

Mr. H. L. Collins, the Australian captain, congratulated England on a notable success, thoroughly well deserved. He said that Australia were beaten on their merits by a better side.

MR. SYDNEY SMITH.

Mr. Sydney Smith, the manager of the Australian team, said that first of all he wished to congratulate most heartily England on a splendid and meritorious win. When the team arrived in this country, and ever since, he had been particularly emphatic in saying that if Australia were beaten in the Test matches, there would be no squealing, and he did not intend to squeal now.

Australia had been defeated by a better side, and he was sure that the regaining of the Ashes by England would do an immense amount of good to the game. England's young captain was to be congratulated on the way he handled the side, and all the players in the way they had battled for victory. The match was played in the best sporting spirit, and up to the full traditions of the game. Australia would now look forward with interest to the next visit of an England team in 1928-29, when a great endeavour will be made to turn the tables.

One very pleasing feature from the personal point of view was the interest manifested in this particular match. As mover of the resolution at the Imperial Cricket Conference, that future Test matches in England should be played out to a finish, Mr. Smith said that this match should clearly demonstrate that the cricket public wish to see finalty, instead of drawn games. He sincerely trusted that the match would prove the death-knell of three-day Test matches.

Australia did not begrudge England's victory, he said, and it was pleasing to know that this great game is only common to the great British nation. He felt sure that the visit of the Australians had helped in some little way to cement the bonds of Empire.

The Times:—At last England's chosen eleven has put an end to the depressingly long series of recent defeats and disappointments in the Test matches with Australia. Proof that there is life in the old lion yet was long overdue. Not since 1912, when only three matches instead of five were played, have the honours of the rubber fallen to this country.

The Times adds that there is no chance that the match which ended yesterday will be forgotten in either country. From first to last it was a great match. The general feeling in England, as the news of the last day's play was flashed from the Oval to the ends of the Empire, was that it was almost too good to be true.

The *Morning Post*:—Our Australian kinsmen will not, we are sure, grudge us the jubilation to which in this country the universal heart is stirred by our glorious victory in yesterday's final and decisive Test match. After all, our pride in the result is the best and sincerest compliment that we could pay to the prowess of Australia's eleven. None would have dared to hope for such a swift and decisive ending to this Homeric struggle, but rejoicing has been properly tempered with admiration for the skill and sportsmanship of the adversary, as is made evident by the spontaneous tribute of the Oval crowd to Mr. Collins. It was as remarkable as the ovation for Mr. P. F. Warner, the Chairman of the Selection Committee, whose judgment has been so amply vindicated by the event; for it is important to record that the collapse of Australia in the second innings was not due to the state of the wicket, which was more difficult on Tuesday than yesterday. The phenomenon was due to psychological influences which are often so potent with the finest teams, and it leaves us with the legitimate feeling that England won because hers was the better side.

The *Daily News*:—The great Test final is over, and England has won the game and the rubber with sensational suddenness and completeness. A grim final struggle would have been the fitting climax to such a contest, and one which the previous play of the Australians had taught us to expect. It is a little difficult to account for what actually happened. Doubtless, the rain had completed the demoralisation of the much-worn wicket; but was it really much worse than when Hobbs and Sutcliffe faced the Australian bowling on Tuesday morning after a night of furious rain? The conditions under which Tate made so useful a stand yesterday were, perhaps, a little better than those which Woodfull and Macartney had to meet, but not much. The difference in the result is the measure of the excellence of the English bowling. The plain fact is that Rhodes and Larwood on such a wicket were too good for any batsmen.

The *Daily Chronicle*:—Australia will not grudge England the "Ashes," which we last previously won in 1912. What a game it is, and how singularly do the English-speaking communities weave ties of interest and affection between the different parts of their world-wide Commonwealth! No politician could invent such a bond as this which cricket forms between England and Australia.

LONDONERS CHEER THE NEWS.

EXCITING SCENES IN THE STRAND.

Londoners heard the news of England's victory just after six o'clock.

Huge crowds had assembled in the Strand to watch the bulletins of the match, which were displayed from the upper windows of a building overlooking the Aldwych, and special police had to keep a lane clear for motor buses and other vehicles.

Passengers on 'bus-tops caught the spirit of the moment, and cheered lustily as they caught sight of the figures, and usually staid and sober men capitulated to the epidemic of jubilation.

A dramatic climax was reached when shortly after six o'clock the news of the fall of the last wicket was displayed. Hats and handkerchiefs shot up in the air and were waved for several minutes, while roar upon roar of deafening cheers re-echoed along the Strand and over the bridges.

ORIGIN OF "THE ASHES."

The *Sporting Times* announces that the historic term "The Ashes" was originated by that paper in its issue of September 2, 1882. In that paper's issue appeared the following notice:—

> In affectionate remembrance of English cricket, which died at the Oval on 29th August, 1882. Deeply lamented by a large circle of sorrowing friends and acquaintances. R.I.P.
>
> N.B.—The body will be cremated and the ashes taken to Australia.

The notice appeared after the Australians had beaten England for the first time in England at the Oval.

TEST MATCH AVERAGES.

ENGLISH BATTING.

	Inns.	Runs.	Most in an Inns.	Times not out.	Avg.
Hobbs	7	486	119	1	81.00
Sutcliffe	7	472	161	1	78.66
Hendren	6	186	127*	3	62.00
A. P. F. Chapman	5	175	50*	2	58.33
F. E. Woolley	6	237	87	0	39.50
G. T. S. Stevens	3	63	24	0	21.00

The following also batted:—A. W. Carr, 13; Geary, 35*, 9 and 1; R. Kilner, 36 and 9*; Larwood, 0 and 5; Macaulay, 76; Rhodes, 28 and 14; Strudwick, 1, 4* and 2; Tate, 5, 23 and 33*; E. Tyldesley, 81.

Root played in three matches and J. W. Hearne in one, but neither batted.

*Signifies not out.

ENGLISH BOWLING.

	O.	M.	R.	W.	Avg.
Root	107	47	194	8	24.25
Larwood	95	19	252	9	28.00
Tate	203.2	64	388	13	29.84
G. T. S. Stevens	64	7	184	5	36.80
R. Kilner	121.5	31	276	7	39.42
Geary	74.3	15	188	3	62.66
F. E. Woolley	15	1	63	1	63.00

The following also bowled:—Macaulay 32, 8, 123, 1; Rhodes, 45, 24, 79, 6.

AUSTRALIAN BATTING.

	Inns.	Runs.	Most in an Inns.	Times not out.	Avg.
C. G. Macartney	6	473	151	1	94.60
W. Bardsley	5	231	193*	1	57.75
W. M. Woodfull	6	306	141	0	51.00
A. J. Richardson	5	155	100	0	31.00
W. A. Oldfield	6	112	33*	2	28.00
J. M. Gregory	6	149	73	0	24.83
J. Ryder	4	73	42	1	24.33
H. L. Collins	4	90	61	0	22.50
C. V. Grimmett	4	50	35	1	16.66
W. H. Ponsford	4	37	23	0	12.33
T. J. E. Andrews	6	49	15	0	8.16
A. A. Mailey	5	9	6	1	2.25

The following also batted:—J. M. Taylor, 9 and 4. J. L. Ellis, S. C. Everett, and H. L. Hendry did not take part in any Test match.

*Signifies not out.

AUSTRALIAN BOWLING.

	O.	M.	R.	W.	Avg.
C. V. Grimmett	204	59	414	13	31.84
A. A. Mailey	172.4	25	592	14	42.28
C. G. Macartney	126.2	48	215	4	53.75
A. J. Richardson	130	57	273	4	68.25
J. M. Gregory	105	20	298	3	99.33
J. Ryder	49	8	142	1	42.00

The following also bowled:—T. J. E. Andrews, 13, 5, 49, 0; H. L. Collins, 2, 0, 11, 0.

The following 11 three-figure innings were played in the Test matches:—

England 4—Hobbs (2), 119 at Lords, 100 at the Oval; Sutcliffe, 161 at the Oval; Hendren, 127* at Lords.

Australia, 7—C. G. Macartney (3), 133* at Lords, 151 at Leeds, 109 at Manchester; W. M. Woodfull (2), 141 at Leeds, 117 at Manchester; W. Bardsley, 193* at Lords; A. J. Richardson, 100 at Leeds.

* signifies not out.

The directors of Messrs. Simmonds, of Reading, gave a complimentary dinner last night at the Carlton Hotel to Mr. Chapman, the captain of the English Test team, who is a member of their staff. The company present included Messrs. W. A. Oldfield and A. A. Mailey (Australian team) and Mr. "Plum" Warner (a member of the Selection Committee).

THE KIDNAPPED ENGLISHMAN.

DESPATCH OF BRITISH GUNBOATS.

CANTON AUTHORITIES TAKE ACTION.

PEKING, Wednesday.

His Majesty's gunboats, Woodlark and Gnat, have been despatched to Changsha to assist in the search for Mr. Moore, the installation manager of the Asiatic Petroleum Company, who was captured by bandits last Friday. The Foreign Affairs Bureau at Canton has telegraphed to Changsha urging that every effort shall be made to ensure the release of Mr. Moore. —(Reuter.)

SHANGHAI, Wednesday.

No further news has been received of Mr. J. Moore, but the bandits have been located fifteen miles from Changsha.—(Reuter.)

SPANISH PRIEST MURDERED.

HANKOW, Wednesday.

The Franciscan Mission here yesterday received news of the murder of a Spanish priest, Father Maiquery, on August 4th, by the soldiers of General Too Li-Ching, near Sianfu, in the Province of Shensi.—(Reuter.)

KUOMINCHUN RETREAT.

FROM "THE TIMES" CORRESPONDENT.

PEKING, Wednesday.

Both foreign and Chinese circles are still searching for some adequate reason for the withdrawal of the Kuominchun from the Nankow Pass. Agents of the Kuominchun, who are in refuge in the Legation quarter, state that their forces were outranged by the Fengtien—Chang Tso-Lin's—artillery, and were also short of ammunition. The view generally taken is that some arrangement has been made with the Fengtien leaders, though this is discounted somewhat by the active show they are making in pursuing the enemy.

Wu Pie-Fu expects the Kuominchun to make a stand near Hsuanha later at Wanchuan, and then at Kalgan, if the "Allies" continue their advance.

Shansi forces report renewed efforts to cut off the retreat of the Kuominchun near Tatung, if Kalgan be abandoned. If this move proves successful the Kuominchun would be forced to march into Mongolia. Mukden cavalry are reported to be within ten miles of Kalgan, and a larger force of cavalry is supposed to be near Dolonor. Some time ago they were reported by the Kuominchun to be routed, but this is not confirmed. There has been no communication for several days with Kalgan. The wireless station there has not been working since the 15th.

Already there is much talk of Cabinet reorganisation. The changes spoken of mainly affect Wu Pei-fu's nominees.—(Per Press Association, copyright.)

BOLSHEVIK GENERAL'S RETURN.

PEKING, Wednesday.

Marshal Wu Pei-fu's Intelligence Department a fortnight ago received a telegram announcing the departure from Moscow for China of the Chinese Bolshevik General, Feng Hu-hsiang. It is believed that he has now arrived at Pingtichian, whence he is directing the Kuominchun's general retreat.—(Reuter.)

MLLE. LENGLEN'S TOUR IN AMERICA.

TENNIS OFFICIALS' OPINIONS.

NEW YORK (By Mail).

In a recent interview on Mlle. Lenglen's projected tour of America as a professional, Mr. J. W. Masereau, President of the United States Lawn Tennis Association, said:—"It is generally understood that the United States Lawn Tennis Association does not approve of exhibition matches, and we have repeatedly refused to grant sanctions for exhibitions between amateurs. It is only reasonable to assume, therefore, that our policy would not be altered for the benefit of a professional player giving exhibitions under a professional promoter.

"That opinion, however, should not be taken as a decision. The matter has not officially come before us, and until it does no action will be taken."

In connection with Mlle. Lenglen's announced desire to play Miss Helen Wills during her tour, the American woman champion stated that she would be pleased to oppose Suzanne again. "It all depends on the action of the tennis officials, however," Miss Wills said. "If they approve the match I will be glad to play her. Otherwise, I do not see how we could arrange a match."

William T. Tilden, the national men's champion, ventured the opinion that Mlle. Lenglen's tour would be a success, whether her tour were sanctioned by the tennis officials or not.

"People will pay to see Lenglen, no matter whom she plays," he said. "Why should she need a sanction? My understanding of the tennis regulations is that clubs do not need sanction to put on professional exhibitions, so long as amateur players are not involved."—(Reuter.)

INDIAN COMMUNAL RIOTS.

A HEAVY CASUALTY LIST.

SIMLA, Wednesday.

Sir Alexander Muddiman, of the Executive Council, replying in the Legislative Assembly yesterday to Mr. Harchandri Vishindas, C.I.E., on the question of communal riots and the playing of music during religious processions, stated that every citizen had a right to use the public highways for religious and other processions in the manner established by custom and tradition, subject to the exercise of similar rights by others and to orders passed in the public interest by the authority. Religious disturbances were no novelty, and it was impossible to say when the riots first began.

Sir Alexander said that the Government did not contemplate introducing special legislation. He referred his hearers to Lord Irwin's speech at the Chelmsford Club dinner, in which the Viceroy declared that the remedy was an improvement in the mutual attitude of the leaders and members of the communities now at variance. Executive action must be left to the local authorities, and must vary with the circumstances. Riots reported to the Central Government during the last three years had resulted in about 260 persons being killed and over 2,800 wounded, but in several cases the reports were not complete.—(Reuter.)

"A MERE BY-ROAD."

PROPOSED CORK-LIMERICK TRUNK ROUTE.

The proposed trunk road between Limerick and Cork, *via* Croom, Patrickswell and Charleville has not found approval in some quarters.

A document was sent to the Minister for Local Government by a number of people in the Kilmallock and outlying districts stating that from time immemorial the trunk road from Limerick to Cork was through Bruff and Kilmallock, and the signatories could not understand why it was departed from for another and less favourable route, which (according to the statement) has been nothing else up to the present than a by-road, and is not popular with traffic between the two cities. Apart entirely from its inferior condition, it passed through no district of any historic or national importance, while the old trunk road went through a country of great scenic beauty, rich in archæological and historical remains. It took in Loughgur, Bruff, and Kilmallock, and was also the route taken by O'Connell to Munster meetings in the fight for Repeal and Catholic Emancipation. These were some of the reasons they impressed on the Minister to show that the route *via* Kilmallock was the most suitable and popular, and they hoped that he would see the importance of their views from a tourist's and, consequently, a national standpoint.

The Minister's reply was in the negative.

ROSSE COLLEGE, STEPHEN'S GREEN. College Closed for Summer Vacation from August 2. Male Department re-opens on Monday, August 16. Ladies' Department re-opens on August 23.—(Advt.)

KITCHENER COFFIN AFFAIR.

MR. POWER AND HIS INQUIRIES.

Mr. Frank Power, interviewed yesterday, stated that he was doing all that he could to clear up the mystery of the coffin, which he affirms contained the remains of Lord Kitchener.

He said:—"I have already had information given me showing that it was possible to make a substitution of the inner shell containing the remains which I found in Norway. I do feel that the authorities put themselves in the wrong by seizing my property without giving me notice, and the case was in their possession practically two days before I knew where it was."

MORE COFFINS THAN ONE.

"My first thought, as I am at present advised by my solicitor, is to ask the Home Office to restore to me my property. There is no doubt that I had a case, with an elm coffin, a copper coffin and an inner shell, with something in it. What have they done with the inner shell? You can say that I was repeatedly advised to take every precaution, and a very eminent man said: 'If they can they will diddle you at the last.' I have received information that at the time I was expecting the coffin in London a coffin, answering to the description of mine, large and heavy, was taken into the Admiralty."

Asked how he got possession of the remains in Norway, and whether the exhumation was carried out after compliance with the usual formalities, Mr. Power said: "I will be perfectly frank. I entered into prolonged negotiations with every authority. After some weeks I found that I had got no further than when I started, so I felt that if I wanted to do anything I must take my own action. In England the maximum penalty for opening a grave without permission is a £10 fine. That is the worst offence with which they can charge me; and if I committed this offence in Norway there would possibly be a similar penalty."

Mr. Power said that the coffin was sent from Norway in the usual way through shipping agents. The contents of the case were declared, and no difficulty was experienced in getting it through the Customs.

"What do you propose to now now?" Mr. Power was asked. He replied: "I intend to go on with my investigations to find the body."

There was a suggestion, Mr. Power said, that the film taken in Norway and London should be held up. "In deference to public opinion, we are prepared to be reasonable," he added.

AIR ACCIDENT.

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injured. Only three persons out of the total of thirteen were able to walk. The rescuers had to force open one of the doors of the aeroplane, and they found the people inside imprisoned by their feet.

Dr. McVittie, the nearest doctor, soon arrived on the scene, and gave first aid to the injured. One gentleman and two ladies were driven off to a hospital in the neighbourhood, while the rest were taken to the Royal Victoria Hospital, Folkestone.

ALL NIGHT GUARD.

The bodies of the two dead men were left at the farm.

Mr. Wilson said that he had never seen such a terrible sight as when they opened the door of the aeroplane. Several of the passengers were badly injured, and he understood that one of them was not expected to live.

The unfortunate passengers, he said, showed remarkable pluck.

Two policemen of the Kent County Constabulary are guarding the aeroplane until the experts from the Air Ministry have examined the wreckage.

PILOT OFFICER KILLED.

FORCED LANDING ON GOLF LINKS.

While Pilot Officer Roy Nugent Treharn Gape (21), of the 19th Flight Squadron, stationed at Duxford Aerodrome, near Cambridge, was flying a Gloucester Grebe machine near Gog Majog golf links yesterday morning the machine developed engine trouble, and a forced landing was made near the golf clubhouse.

The machine bounced sideways when it touched the earth, ran into a hedge and burst into flames.

Players on the golf course rushed to the scene, but the flames were too fierce to permit of anyone approaching, and, in addition, some machine gun ammunition caught fire and added considerably to the danger. Mr. Fry, the greenkeeper, telephoned to the police, and when the flames had sufficiently subsided the body of the pilot was recovered. The body was in a crouching position in the cockpit, and death appeared to have been instantaneous. Only the metal parts of the aeroplane remained, all the rest having been burnt to cinders.

That the deceased met his death while flying in the course of duty through the crashing of the aeroplane was the verdict at the inquest yesterday evening at Duxford Aerodrome.

The evidence of the greenkeeper and a caddie was that the machine went round twice over the links, and the airman appeared to try to land between the clubhouse and the first tee, but he touched the road, the machine jumping on to the hedge, somersaulting and getting alight, with petrol lying about it and machine gun cartridges exploding. It was impossible to render assistance owing to the fierce flames and the flying bullets.

The medical evidence was that death was instantaneous, caused by fracture of the base of the skull in the crash. The burns were *post-mortem*.

THE ISLE OF WIGHT ACCIDENT.

A verdict of accidental death was returned at the inquest yesterday evening on Lieutenant John Leslie Llewellyn Rees, Royal Marines, attached to the Royal Air Force at Gosport base, who was killed on a training flight in the Isle of Wight on Tuesday.

His machine struck the ridge of a high hill at Hulverstone, which was entirely obscured in fog at the time. No one saw the crash, and he lay for three hours in the wrecked machine on the hilltop before he was discovered by another Gosport airman. The hilltop would have been cleared with twenty feet more height.

THE LATE FLYING OFFICER T. H. J. WRIGHT.

Flying Officer T. H. J. Wright, who was reported in yesterday's papers as killed at Camberley in message-dropping practice, was a son of the Rev. J. Wright, Vicar of Addiscombe, Croydon, and formerly Rector of Dunganstown, County Wicklow. He was a Captain in the 1st Seaforth Highlanders, and was attached to the Royal Air Force. Flying Officer Wright joined the regiment in 1915, after leaving Sandhurst, and saw eighteen months' active service in France in the Balloon Section. He was a very promising officer. His funeral will take place tomorrow, with military honours.

OFFENDING ADVERTISEMENT.

MAGAZINE-BANNING IN AMERICA

WASHINGTON, Wednesday.

Inquiries have been made in official circles as to their view of the New York Customs House ruling, barring the entry of a London magazine, containing an advertisement of a brand of spirituous liquor. Opinions in these circles is that Congress, when it passed the Volstead law, probably intended to admit regular magazines and other periodicals from abroad on the same basis as newspapers, but inadvertently failed to specify them.

They are inclined, therefore, in the absence of any general regulation, to limit the exclusion at present to publications like the pamphlet in question issued, as they remark, with a view to soliciting American trade.—(Reuter.)

MR. CHURCHILL'S HOPE.

LASTING SETTLEMENT OF COAL DISPUTE.

THE NATION'S HEAVY TASK.

MR. CHURCHILL, last night at Swansea, reviewed the coal situation, and said that he had every belief that they would reach "a lasting and honourable settlement." "Even now," he added, "if a settlement is reached, it is not too late," and he saw no reason why the lifetime of the present Parliament should not see a strong revival in British industry.

At the outset Mr. Churchill dealt with the political position in the country, and stated that the Socialist and Communist forces were being used deliberately to try to undermine the prosperity of the nation. The task of the Government was to endeavour to produce prosperity.

It would be hard enough to secure a general improvement, even if all tried to help as much as they possibly could; "but to achieve prosperity in the teeth of a deliberate campaign to break it down, to achieve an increase in the wealth of the nation in spite of the efforts of the reckless and sinister forces which seek the furtherance of their political aim by the general impoverishment of the country—that is a task in which, indeed, we shall need all your loyal and active help."

THE GENERAL STRIKE.

"AN AUDACIOUS MISDEED."

Dealing with the coal stoppage, Mr. Churchill said that it had been accompanied at the outset by an audacious misdeed against society. (Cheers.) A general strike with the avowed intention of coercing Parliament and starving the nation into obeying the dictates of a section of the community, however powerful, was nothing less than a criminal conspiracy against the State. That, at any rate, had been signally defeated, and those who were responsible for letting it loose had been taught that the nation was stronger than they—(cheers)—and that the more severely it was attacked the more vigorously would it defend itself.

"The consequences of the general strike and of the coal stoppage had been deeply injurious to all classes, but the class that had suffered most had been the trade unionists. Their funds had been dissipated, their members had been thrown out of work. The Unemployment Insurance fund, which but for these troubles would soon have been in an extremely good position, was being plunged heavily into debt, and for a long time to come all the insured workmen and employers throughout the country would have to pay the present high rates of insurance, which otherwise would have been reduced.

"The credit of the working classes in the industrial areas, the resources of the small shops which minister to their needs—all had been seriously impoverished. The reserves of many local authorities were grievously embarrassed. Foreign markets, in which we had been exposed to keen competition, had been captured by the foreigner, who, however, he did not think would retain them permanently once we got together again. But they were gone for the time being. Gone also were many valuable orders out of which good wages could have been paid and good profits made.

A MELANCHOLY BUSINESS.

"It has been a melancholy business," Mr. Churchill said. "The finances of the State have been damaged. The revenue has suffered seriously, and heavy expenses have been incurred. The possibility of reducing taxation has been postponed. Indeed, my whole effort will be directed to avoiding increasing taxation over our overpressed industries, or upon the necessaries of popular consumption. Even if all the coalfields go to work to-morrow, it will only be by the very greatest exertions and contrivance that additional taxation can be avoided. Funds that we should like to have used in cultural and economic development have been consumed in a hateful internal warfare, and our hard-pressed island community has added to all its burdens the heaviest of burdens of preying on itself."

The Government, Mr. Churchill claimed, had laboured to the best of their ability to avert the stoppage, and afterwards to end it. It would have been unjust to other industries to continue the subsidy. Moreover, it would have been absurd, because our foreign competitors—Germany in particular—had said plainly that if we continued to subsidise our miners they would subsidise theirs, and competition would be just as keen.

AN ENCOURAGING SIGN.

"I am very glad," he said, "to see by this morning's newspapers that the Miners' Executive have been authorised at last to open negotiations with the employers. Whether behind this there is any decision to face the real facts, and do what is necessary to save the coal industry, or whether it is only a belated attempt to prevent a breakaway into district settlements, we cannot yet tell. But the fact that the request for a conference has been made by the miners direct to the Mine-owners' Association is, at any rate, an encouraging sign. Everything that we can do in the way of good offices and to bring the two sides together we have done, and we will do.

"As to the reorganisation of the coal industry, we have already passed Acts of Parliament carrying out, or affording the means of carrying out, every recommendation of the Royal Commission which has any bearing upon its immediate prosperity. As to the scientific development, and, in particular, the production of oil for electricity from coal, the whole power of the State is being used, and will be used, even at very heavy expense.

"Finally, we have offered, in the case of pits which are worn out, or worked out—which have to be closed, because they are no longer fit to work—we have offered to contribute towards helping the mining population around those pits to move to some other centre and get some other work. I set aside three million pounds for this purpose in the Budget of the year. Part of that three million pounds has been spent, and is being spent, week after week on buying foreign coal to keep the life of the country going. But the balance is still available for that purpose, and will, when the time comes, be used to the best advantage. That is what we have done, and are doing, and that is all we have any right to do. Whatever happens there can be no more subsidy. On that we are determined."

MR. COOK'S POLICY EXAMINED.

If Mr. Cook's policy of "not a penny off the pay; not a minute on the day" were actually carried into effect, Mr. Churchill maintained that between one-third and one-half of the whole of the coal pits would have to be closed either permanently or for a very long period of years. That would mean that three or four hundred thousand miners and their families would find themselves deprived suddenly, and at a stroke, of their whole means of livelihood. When that was put to Mr. Cook and Mr. Herbert Smith at a recent conference, one said: "Let them emigrate," and the other: "Let them go on the dole." That was a policy which, in its ruthlessness and cruelty, was worthy of the Dark Ages.

As to the mining royalties, continued Mr. Churchill, the Royal Commission proposed that they should be purchased by the State at a fair market value. There was nothing wrong in principle about that. The royalty owners had quite as much right to their property as any man in the country had to his house, his shop, or his allotment.

TRADE UNION PROBLEM.

The experiences they had gone through this year and the loss and suffering inflicted upon the whole country, and particularly upon the trade unionists in the great basic industries, had undoubtedly raised questions about the functions of trade unionism and their bearing on the general welfare, which must go forward to an issue. All knew how indispensable trade unions were to the proper safeguarding of the rights and interests of the workers in any particular industry, and both Conservative and Liberal legislation had, during the last fifty years, conferred upon them exceptional privileges to enable them to conduct strikes, and for the purpose of collective bargaining.

The question which the nation would now have to consider was whether these privileges had not been grossly abused—whether the trade unions, instead of being, as they should be, the social bulwarks and guarantees for the well-being of their members, were not being used as a tool of faction against society, inflicting great injury upon the country, and in particular upon those very trade union members whom it was the duty of trade unionism primarily to protect. "The question is raised," said Mr. Churchill, "whether, for instance, a handful of wire-pullers, in virtue of some resolution passed on a card vote, without any guarantees that the opinion of their constituents has been properly obtained, should have power to lay an interdict on all the industries of the country, and to challenge the sovereign right of Parliament and the State itself.

"Behind this again lie questions of the influences which actuate these wirepullers or whether they themselves are not manipulated and wirepulled from outside this island altogether, and are pursuing aims which are in no way related to the welfare of the British people.

"These are very grave questions, and we are strongly of opinion that Parliament must give them full and early attention.

NO DUAL ALLEGIANCE.

"We cannot afford to encourage dual allegiance in this small island. We must have one nation and work for our common safety and livelihood. The Government," he proceeded, "fully approved the legitimate development of trade unionism in the Civil Service—the power of collective bargaining, the Whitley Council system—and had accepted, subject to the final authority of Parliament, the principle of compulsory arbitration, but they could not allow trade unionism within the Civil Service to have a political character. It must confine itself to the proper functions of trade unionism—namely, looking after the professional interests of their own members.

"In the United States there had grown up a vast abuse of public patronage for political ends, and great efforts were being made in America to correct this evil. They had no intention of seeing what was called in America 'the spoils system' introduced in this country. Under that system each Government would endeavour to stock the Civil Service with its nominees and partisans. They were determined that the patronage of the State should go in the future, as in the past, only by merit and open competition.

AN HONOURABLE SETTLEMENT.

"I have every hope and belief that we shall reach a lasting and honourable settlement," said Mr. Churchill, "and we shall come through our troubles and be the stronger for having surmounted them. Nothing has been more remarkable than the manner in which the trade of the country and its employment have stood up to the cruel strain inflicted upon them. In the twelfth week of the coal stoppage there were a million fewer unemployed than in the corresponding week of the coal stoppage of 1921. There are fewer unemployed now than there were when the general strike ended fourteen weeks ago. The exports for July, if you exclude coal exports and make allowance for changes in price, actually show an increase of 2.1 per cent. on those of a year ago, when no strike was in progress. If you had told me three months ago that this could happen, I would not have believed it.

"There is no doubt whatever that the nation is strong enough to survive these great misfortunes, and that it intends to see them through in a manful and far-seeing spirit. Even now if a settlement is reached it is not too late. There is no reason why the lifetime of this Parliament should not see a strong revival in British trade and industry—should not see the hideous unemployment figure—making allowances for altered circumstances—fall to the pre-war level. There is no reason why the taxes should not be reduced. We know for certain now that six or seven hundred thousand houses will be built. We know for certain that every wife of an insured man throughout the land has a provision made for her in the event of his death. We know that the empire is being steadily consolidated and developed, and we have every hope that after these troubles are over, and wisdom has come with tribulation, a better and a brighter day will dawn."

SOME INTERRUPTIONS.

Although the meeting was a "ticket" one, and police were present in force, there were some interruptions. Mr. Churchill's reference to the coal dispute as a strike was challenged with cries of "lock-out." His reference to the opening of negotiations with the employers was interrupted by cries from miners at the back of the hall of "We have been compelled by starvation." It was not until three men were ejected by the police that silence was restored, and Mr. Churchill was able to conclude his speech.

BLOW TO RUSSIAN DIPLOMACY.

FRANCE'S TREATY WITH RUMANIA.

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

BUCHAREST, Wednesday.

Russian diplomacy suffered the greatest defeat of the year when France signed last week a treaty with Rumania, recognising for the second time Rumania's rights to Bessarabia, and guaranteeing the integrity of King Ferdinand's frontiers on the River Dneister. In the last ten days I have encountered this opinion in four Balkan capitals and find it repeated jubilantly in Bucharest.

Intense personal feelings entered the fight which Moscow has directed at Paris for the past year to delay and prevent the signing of the pact guaranteeing the *status quo* on the present Russian-Rumanian frontier.

SOVIET'S TACTICS.

Rakovsky, the Soviet Ambassador in Paris, has been under sentence of death in Roumania for treason since March, 1921, when he was condemned by a military courtmartial. The defeat of the Soviet's diplomatic tactics is believed in Bucharest to be responsible for the resignation of the Commissary for Foreign Affairs, M. Chichrin, and it is reported here that the first act of his successor, Max Litvinoff, was to despatch long wireless instructions to Paris ordering Rakovsky to register a strong protest to the Quai D'Orsay on the ground that the Franco-Roumanian pact infringed diplomatic relations between France and the Soviet.

The Roumanian Government interprets the protest as a manœuvre intended to impede and embarrass the efforts of the Roumanian Prime Minister, General Averescu, who is now in Rome negotiating with Premier Mussolini for the Italian recognition of Roumania's annexation of Bessarabia. Treaties to this effect have already been negotiated, but are still unratified.

The Soviet protest to Paris carries the implication that Moscow will consider the Italian recognition of the Bessarabian annexation as an unfriendly act towards Russia. General Averescu's object in Rome also includes the making of arrangements for the coming visit of the Roumanian King and Queen to conclude a concordat between the Vatican and Bucharest, which has been under negotiation for some years. The economic significance of the Prime Minister's visit rests on the Roumanian desire for the investment of Italian capital in Roumanian natural resources.

Bucharest newspapers are highly applauding the present Government for the success of its foreign policy in consummating treaties with Poland, Czecho-Slovakia, Yugo-Slavia and France for the recognition of the present frontiers. The renewal last March of the Polish-Roumanian defensive alliance had the effect of unifying the solid wall facing Russia from the Black Sea almost to the Baltic. The completion of this barrier is expected by the inclusion of a similar pact with the Baltic States.

THE FRENCH HAYRICK MURDER.

PARIS, Wednesday.

The police have received a letter purporting to have been written by a taxi driver, saying that he murdered Mlle Beulaguet, whose body was discovered on a burning hayrick near Claye-Souilly last Friday night.

The writer of the letter declared that he offered Mlle. Beulaguet a lift and afterwards strangled her. This letter is only one of innumerable anonymous letters which are being received by the police, as is usual when mysterious crimes have been committed.

It is possible that this letter is a "blind" sent by the real author of the crime.—(Reuter.)

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General Hertzog, in his speech at Stellenbosch, had demanded a declaration of South Africa's independence to the world, maintaining that if all the parties to the British Empire did not agree to such a declaration being made they should not stand in the way of others who wanted the declaration made. They wanted to know whether General Hertzog was going to ask for this declaration. It was a matter of the greatest importance to the country, for a declaration such as General Hertzog had adumbrated would break up the British Empire. They wanted to know General Hertzog's policy. The policy which he had so far pursued was not in the interests of South Africa, but one which would bring discredit upon South Africa. The silence of the Prime Minister under the circumstances was nothing but contempt for the feelings of the people of the country.

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He now has to face the task of stabilising the franc, his power to hold the confidence of the country will depend on his success in this direction.

The rate of the franc has shown signs of sagging again. Ten days ago it was at 160 to the pound, but during the past week it nearly touched 180. To-day it suddenly recovered to 170, which suggests action by the Bank of France.

The business of regulating the rate of the franc rests with the Bank of France, which has been given special privileges for the purpose; but the control which the Bank can exercise will be vain unless the Government's expenditure is kept strictly within the limits of revenue and the cost of living is prevented from rising.

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THE LIMITATION OF NAVAL CONSTRUCTION.

PLATTSBURGH, NEW YORK, Wednesday.

Interesting historical details of the last naval encounter between British and American forces, together with some reflections upon the present *status* of the international problem, were the two chief subjects of a long discourse delivered here to-day by Mr. Kellogg, Secretary of State, on the occasion of the dedication of a monument to Commander Thomas MacDonough, who commanded the United States naval forces at the famous battles of Lake Champlain and Plattsburgh in 1814, when the American forces, after a sanguinary encounter, defeated the British, thus successfully preventing the encircling movement of the British land forces, which were endeavouring to cut off the New England States. Losses were heavy on both sides, and to this day fifteen British officers, including Captain Dowhie, the Commander, lie buried in Plattsburg Cemetery.

Turning to the question of disarmament, Mr. Kellogg outlined once again the arguments which have already been put forward on numerous occasions by the United States spokesmen. The United States, he said, were entering the Geneva Conference solely for the purpose of easing the crushing burden of armaments. The American representative at Geneva had already made a number of suggestions with a view to the solution of the problem by international agreement.

Armaments were of two kinds, and it appeared that land armaments would be best regulated by regional agreements, thus removing the fear of immediate invasion. When it came to limiting naval construction, however, regional agreements were not desirable. What was wanted was results, and these seemed best achieved by taking some specific question out of the general mass, and agreeing upon it in a practical manner.

He denied the reports that the Geneva Conference had "scrapped" the Washington agreement, or that the United States would withdraw from Geneva.—(Reuter.)

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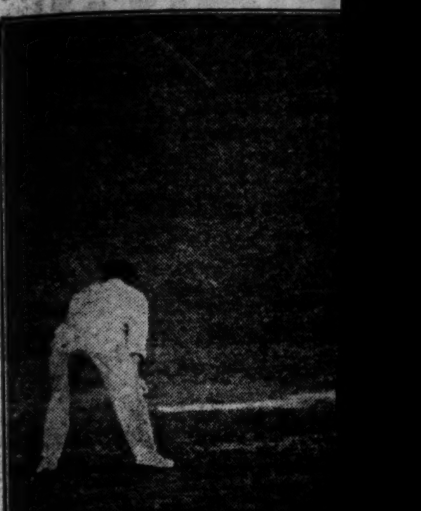

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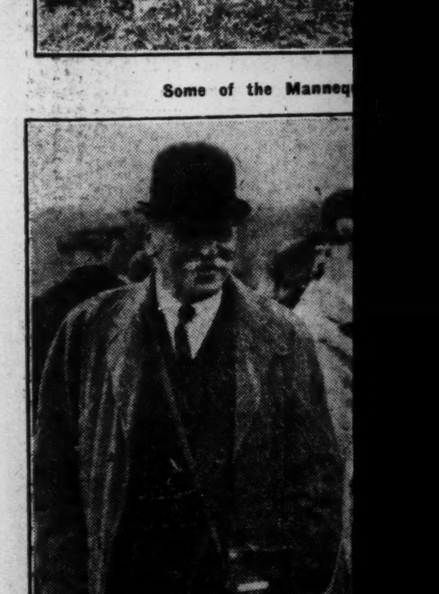

General McMahon and Miss the Mallow Races.

A MISSING MOTOR CYC

HUNT FOR SUPPOSED THIE

At about 10.30 p.m. on Tuesday an A motor cycle, identification number O.N. knocked down two ladies on the Kings Hove, and seriously injured them, one still unconscious and in a very serious c tion. It is alleged that the motor cycle being recklessly driven on the wrong side, had either one or two men on the pillion, that it drove away before the police ar on the scene.

Inquiries show that this motor cycle stolen from Great Barr, near Birminghan the 13th inst. by a man who is also "wan for garage-breaking at Wallasey in Che and who escaped from the custody of Wal police while proceeding from Birminghan the 20th July. He is about 25 years of height, 5 feet 5 inches; fresh complexion, hair; gentlemanly appearance; dressed "Oxford bags," and without a cap, whic left behind on the scene of the accident.

The Hove police have now ascertained he garaged the cycle at a local garage after the accident. He went for it yeste morning, and at 10.30 he took it away, the police were shortly afterwards appris the fact. He was then unshaven and h cut on the chin, an injured right should a damaged knee. He was accompanied man of about 25 years of age, who was in a fawn overcoat, and he drove the away.

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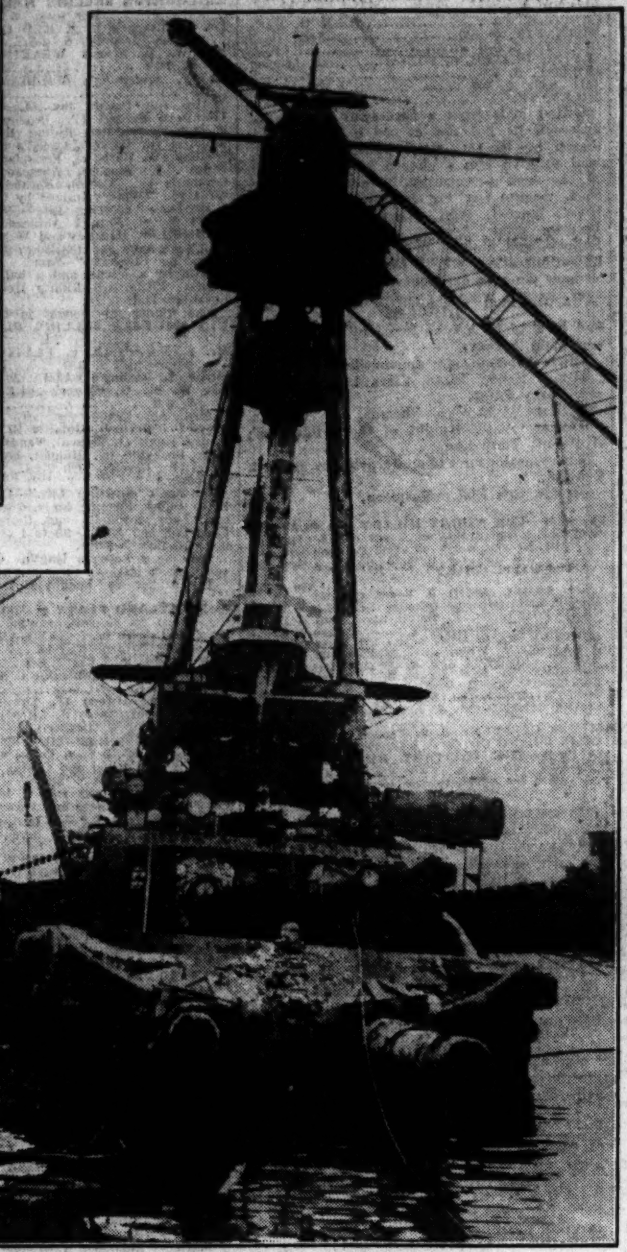


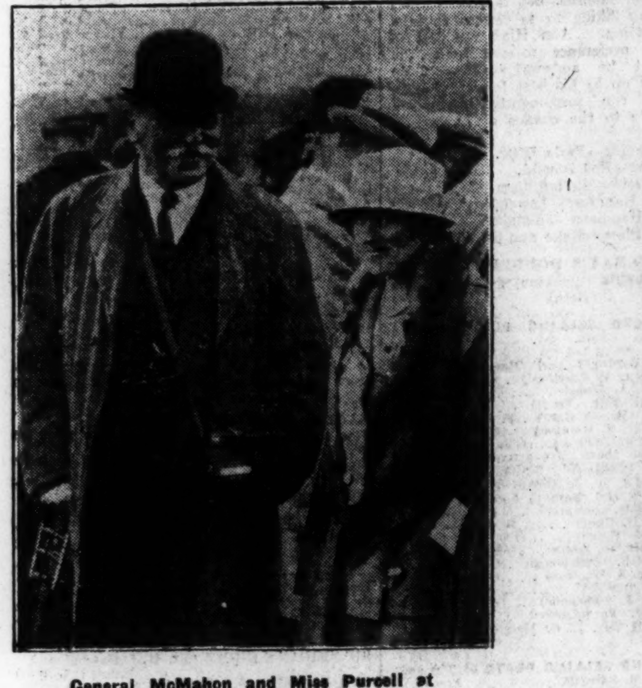
WORLD'S GREATEST SALVING FEAT.—Raising the German battleship Hindenburg at Scapa Flow.

Mrs. J. Forde's 1st Prize Bulldog, Tramore Colleen, at Nenagh Show.

Lord Castletown (in straw hat) and Mr. Stephen Graham at the Mallow Races.

Judging the Cairn Sealyham Terrier Class at Nenagh yesterday.

Some of the Mannequins at the Mallow Races yesterday.



General McMahon and Miss Purcell at the Mallow Races.

Some of the Spectators Watching the Jumping at the Nenagh Show yesterday.

A MISSING MOTOR CYCLE.

HUNT FOR SUPPOSED THIEF.

At about 10.30 p.m. on Tuesday an A.J.S. motor cycle, identification number O.N. 4996, knocked down two ladies on the Kingsway, Hove, and seriously injured them, one being still unconscious and in a very serious condition. It is alleged that the motor cycle was being recklessly driven on the wrong side, and had either one or two men on the pillion, and that it drove away before the police arrived on the scene.

Inquiries show that this motor cycle was stolen from Great Barr, near Birmingham, on the 13th inst. by a man who is also "wanted" for garage-breaking at Wallasey in Cheshire, and who escaped from the custody of Wallasey police while proceeding from Birmingham on the 20th July. He is about 25 years of age; height, 5 feet 5 inches; fresh complexion, fair hair; gentlemanly appearance; dressed in "Oxford bags," and without a cap, which he left behind on the scene of the accident.

The Hove police have now ascertained that he garaged the cycle at a local garage just after the accident. He went for it yesterday morning, and at 10.30 he took it away, and the police were shortly afterwards apprised of the fact. He was then unshaven and had a cut on the chin, an injured right shoulder and a damaged knee. He was accompanied by a man of about 25 years of age, who was wearing a fawn overcoat, and he drove the cycle away.

FARMING PROSECUTIONS.

During last week twenty-two persons were prosecuted under the Dairy Produce Act, 1924, for tendering to creameries or cream separating stations dirty milk, or milk contained in dirty vessels. In all cases fines and costs were imposed.

There were two prosecutions under the Agricultural Produce (Eggs) Act, 1924, one person being charged with obstructing an inspector. Fines and costs were imposed in both cases.

Five persons were prosecuted for having in their possession bulls in contravention of the provisions of the Live Stock Breeding Act, 1925. Fines and costs were imposed in four cases, and costs only in the fifth case.

One farmer was prosecuted for failing to give notice of the presence of sheep scab on the farm, and for attempting to ship a diseased animal. Fines and costs were imposed for both offences.

THE SHOOTING IN A RECTORY.

The coroner's inquiry into the death of the Rev. John Alexander Smith, rector of Grindon, near Leek, was opened yesterday at the North Staffordshire Royal Infirmary, Stoke-on-Trent. The rector and his housekeeper, Miss Hannah Austin, were found shot at the Rectory on Thursday of last week. Miss Austin died next day and the rector on Monday morning.

Only evidence of identification was given, and the inquest was adjourned until September 17th.

BUSINESS BY AIR.

MERCHANT'S TOUR OF BALTIC TIMBER COUNTRIES.

A flying business tour of the Baltic timber countries to conclude important purchase contracts was undertaken by Mr. W. F Dick, a member of a leading London firm of plywood importers, who has just returned, having completed in twenty-eight hours a round of visits which normally would have occupied at least eight days.

He visited eight cities in Holland, Germany, Denmark, Sweden, Finland and Esthonia, and transacted all his business without leaving the aerodromes. Having made his appointments ahead by letter he had his business friends awaiting him at each place at which he landed. His outward fare cost £25, as compared with £21 over-land, but he saved seven days' board and lodging.

German merchants, Mr. Dick states, are the greatest air travellers in Eastern Europe, and think nothing of starting out at 9 a.m., visiting a customer 400 miles away and returning to the office some seven hours later in order to sign letters. He found scarcely any other Englishman than himself similarly engaged.

While conducting the orchestra at the Blackpool Opera House last night Mr. John Henry Greenhalgh suddenly collapsed. He was removed to the band room, where he died almost immediately.

A SUICIDE PACT.

INQUEST VERDICT IN MANCHESTER CASE.

Remarkable letters were read at the inquest, held at Manchester yesterday on the sixteen year old girl, Kathleen Primrose Wheeldon, who was found dead in a wood at Blackley under circumstances suggesting poison, and in connection with whose death a Manchester tram driver, William Arthur Hallows, aged 33, is under remand, charged with murder. Hallows himself gave information of the affair to the police, and was apparently suffering from the effects of poison at the time.

The dead girl, in a letter to her mother, said: "I am sorry to have caused you so much trouble and anxiety, but I can't help it. As I told you before, I love him, and I don't think you would ever have parted us. Please do not think too badly of Bill and I." Another letter, addressed to a man, said: "This is the end of things for me, and the fellow who is going with me is the man I love."

Police Constable Phillips identified three letters in Hallows's writing. One, signed "Your heartbroken friends, W. A. Hallows, K. Wheeldon," addressed to a man friend, said: "Myself and Kathleen have decided to end it all, as it has all been found out."

The jury found that there had been a suicide pact, and the Coroner said that this amounted to a verdict of "wilful murder" against Hallows.

At the City Police Court Hallows was further remanded for a week, charged with murder.

MOTHER AND THREE CHILDREN DEAD.

CORONER'S VERDICT OF MURDER AND SUICIDE.

An inquest on the bodies of Mrs. Mary Magdalin Halse (37) and her three children, Tony (13), Peggy (12), and Patty (5), who were found dead by hanging at their home at Patmore Heath, Hertfordshire, on Tuesday, was held at Patmore Heath yesterday.

Mr. Francis William Halse, Newton Abbot, husband of the dead woman, said that he was separated from his wife in 1919 by deed of mutual arrangement, under which he made her an allowance. He had not seen her since 1919, and had no knowledge of the third child. In June this year he asked her to send the children to him for a holiday, and she agreed. The date was fixed for August 19th.

The Coroner said that judging by the insurance policy found in the house, the youngest child was born in 1921. It was manifest that when the two older children got to their father they would talk of their sister, and that pointed to the reason for the tragedy.

A verdict of murder and suicide while of unsound mind was returned.

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BROADCASTING.

TO-DAY.

DUBLIN (2RN)—397 Metres.

7.30—Talk: "Ireland's Poultry and Eggs." Mr. T. Galloway Rigg. 7.45—French Lesson: Mlle. Giudicelli. 8.0—Station Orchestra. 8.15—Agatha Turley (soprano): "No! No! No! (Titto Mattei); "A Queer Story" (Old Irish); "When I went out walking" (Old Irish). 8.30—Station Orchestra. English Folk Songs (V. Williams). 8.45—Agatha Turley: "O Divine Redeemer" (Gounod); "The Swan bent low to the Lily" (MacDowell); "A Maid Sings Light" (MacDowell). 9.0—John Clarke Barry's Light Symphony Orchestra. 10.30—Weather Forecast and close down.

BELFAST (2BE)—440 Metres.

4.15—Topics. 4.30—Radio Quartet. 5.30—Children. 6.0—From London. 8.0—Radio Quartet. 8.45—"Microphone in Ulster," an informal entertainment, presented by Charlotte Tedlie, Ethel Lewis, Elma Hayward, Lynn Doyle, Fred. Hughes, and H. Richard Hayward. 9.30-12.0—From London.

LONDON (2LO)—365 Metres.

1.0-2.0—Greenwich time. Gramophone Records. 4.0—Greenwich time. Talks. 4.20—Music. 5.15—Children. 6.0—Radio Dance Band. 6.35—Market Prices for Farmers. 6.40—Ministry of Agriculture Fortnightly Bulletin. 7.0—Big Ben, Weather Forecast, and News. Mr. L. De Giberne Sieveking, "Sausages for Tea." 7.25—Weber Pianoforte Works, interpreted by Edith Barnett. Variations on a Russian tune. Op. 40. 7.40—Music. 8.0—London Lads—To the honour of London's Territorials. Programme introducing the London Radio Repertory Players, the Wireless Military Band, the Wireless Chorus, and various past and present members of London's Territorials. 9.30—Weather Forecast and News. Dr. T. W. Gann, F.R.G.S., "Recent Explorations in Yucatan." 10.0—Excerpts from Act II. of "Yvonne," performed at Daly's Theatre, Leicester square. 10.30—Dance Music by the Savoy Havana Band and the Romaine Four. 12.0—Close down.

DAVENTRY (5XX)—1,600 Metres.

10.30 a.m.—Time and Weather Forecast. 11.0-1.0—The Radio Quartet and Evelyn Wix (soprano), Stephen Williams (bass), Kendall Taylor (pianist). 1.0-2.0, 4.0-6.0—From London. 6.0-7.40—Same as London. 7.40—From Cardiff. 10.0—News and Shipping Forecast. 10.15-12.0—Same as London.

BIRMINGHAM (5JT)—479 Metres.

3.45—Pianoforte Quintet. 4.45—Talk and Songs. 5.15—Children. 6.0—Orchestra. 6.35—From London. 7.45—The Station Orchestra. Franklyn Kelsey (baritone). 8.10—The Birmingham Radio Players in "The Golden Buddha," a drama in one act, specially written for broadcasting by Lester Bidston. Sydney Nesbitt in selected items on his ukulele. Arthur Brander in a short entertainment at the piano. The Orchestra. Franklyn Kelsey. 9.30-12.0—From London.

BOURNEMOUTH (6BM)—386 Metres.

11.30-12.0—The Studio Trio. 4.0—Orchestra. 5.15—Children. 6.0—Music. 6.35—From London. 8.0—English and French Light Opera. Margaret Cochran (soprano), Herbert Thorpe (tenor). The Wireless Orchestra. Excerpts from "The Emerald Isle" (Sullivan-German), "Merrie England" (German), "Genevieve de Brabant" (Offenbach), "Veronique" (Messager). 9.0—A Neapolitan Half-Hour. The Orchestra. Herbert Thorpe, with Orchestra; Margaret Cochran, with Orchestra. 9.30-12.0—From London.

CARDIFF (5WA)—353 Metres.

2.15—"5WA'S" "Sunshine Carnival" at Clarence Park, Weston-Super-Mare. Opening by Captain P. P. Eckersley, Chief Engineer of the B.B.C. Vocalists: Doris Vane (soprano), Seymour Dossor (tenor), Harry Brindle (baritone), Vera McComb Thomas (solo-pianoforte). The Two Bobs and Wallace Cunningham (entertainers). The Band of H.M. Scots Guards and Pipers. The Station Orchestra. Mogg's Military Band. The Radio Revellers and Yvette (The Quaint Comedienne), and Gordon McConnell (entertainer). 7.0—From London. 7.40—The Carnival (contd.). Vocalists: Doris Vane (soprano) and Harry Brindle (baritone). The Two Bobs, Leslie Fursland and Tommy Handley (entertainers). The Band of H.M. Scots Guards and Pipers. 10.0-12.0—From London.

MANCHESTER (2ZY)—378 Metres.

11.30-12.30—Concert. 4.30—Mr. J. Harper-Roberts, B.Sc., "Bobbed and Shingled Hair." 4.45—Concert. 5.15—Children. 6.0—From London. 7.40—Travel Talk. 8.0—The Bolton Lyrics Concert Party. James Birrell (tenor), Tony Wilson (humorist), Mary Roscoe (contralto) and Richard Henley (baritone), Mabel Wilkinson (soprano). Quartet. 9.0—Una Cheverton in a Violin Recital. 9.30-12.0—From London.

NEWCASTLE (5NO)—404 Metres).

4.15—Music. 5.15—Children. 6.0—From London. 8.0—Opera. The Station Orchestra. Gladys Parr (contralto). Alexander McCredie (tenor). 9.30—From London. 10.0—The Novos in "All Sport," a radio revue by E. A. Bryan. 11.0-12.0—From London.

LIVERPOOL (6LV)—331 Metres.

4.0—Orchestra. 5.0—Topical Talk. 5.15—Children. 6.0—From London. 7.40—Señor A. M. Duarte: Weekly Spanish Talk. 8.0-12.0—From London.

GLASGOW (5SC)—422 Metres.

4.0—The Wireless Quartet. Joan Keddie (soprano); Talk. 5.15—Children. 6.0-6.2—Weather Forecast for Farmers. 6.15—From London. 8.0—The Station Symphony Orchestra; Joseph Farrington (bass). 9.30-12.0—From London.

A deputation of the employers of the English and Scottish Joint Co-operative Wholesale Society, Ltd., waited upon the Board yesterday to present a widely-signed petition of protest against compulsory membership of a trade union as a condition of service. Such compulsion was described as undemocratic and unjust.

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MANNEQUIN PARADE ON A RACECOURSE.

INNOVATION AT MALLOW.

Although the weather at Mallow yesterday was rather cold and showery, the picturesque racecourse was looking its best. Part of the paddock resembled an Eastern garden, with great hydrangeas, placed about in boxes, and delicately coloured water lilies peeping out of the stream which is spanned by a rustic bridge, just opposite the saddling enclosure, the whole scene resting against a background of wood and mountain in the distance.

The chief feature of yesterday's meeting, apart from the racing itself, was the mannequin parade. It seemed to excite a great deal of interest among the ladies, and men could be seen also gazing from afar at the new season's creations which were displayed.

The Army Band rendered a delightful programme of music, under the direction of Lieutenant Arthur Duff, and this, too, had a little coterie all its own of people who evidently preferred to hear selections from Gounod rather than "back" horses.

Most of the ladies present came in smart tailored suits or two-piece costumes.

Lord and Lady Castletown watched the races from their motor car in the paddock, and others seen on the club stand included Sir Ernest Goff, Mr. and Mrs. G. Sharp-Bolster, Miss Muriel Sharp-Bolster, Mr. Ian Stuart, M.F.H.; Mr. and Miss Gardiner Wallace, Miss Annesley, Miss Olive Carroll Leahy, Colonel Brasier Creagh, Lieutenant-Colonel The MacGillicuddy, Lieutenant-Colonel and Mrs. John Hennessy, Mr. and Mrs. Fildes and Miss Fildes, Mrs. O'Brien, Miss Spicer, Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Nolan, Mrs. Joseph Widger and Miss Wellesley, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Longfield, Colonel Longfield, Captain Phipps, Mr. and Mrs. Clancy, Mr. and Mrs. Dwyer, Mrs. Hanlon, Mr. John Ryan (Scarteen), Mr. Stephen Gwynn, Mr. A. H. Ledlie, Mrs. MacCabe, Dr. Vaughan.

GOSSIP FROM THE COURSE.

FAVOURITES FAIL.

ALL GREEN WINS ON PROTEST.

PASHA BEATEN BY A HEAD.

FROM OUR TRAVELLING CORRESPONDENT.

STOCKTON, Wednesday Night.

It was another bad day here for favourites, the rigour of the afternoon being mitigated only by the fact that after the 10 to 1 chance, Lomondside, had finished first in the principal race of the afternoon, the Stewards' Plate, he was disqualified and the race awarded to the favourite, All Green, whom Sir Hugo Cunliffe-Owen acquired only a few weeks ago cut of Pope's stable, for whom he had won this event last season. After Impress had established a long lead Lomondside and All Green were always dominating the others.

It did look, however, that when Lomondside came to challenge at the distance he gave All Green a severe bump, and when he beat the favourite three-parts of a length it was not surprising that H. Leach lodged an objection to the King's jockey, Alford, for bumping and boring. It was very soon upheld, and the race awarded to All Green, with Creolian, who had made a slow beginning and finished four lengths off, placed second, and the well-backed King of Clubs third. Helter Skelter, who was second favourite, was not prominent at any time.

There was only one other favourite to win throughout the afternoon. This was Gay Gamp, who beat Ospray easily by a length and a half in the Zetland Plate. The rest of the afternoon was spent in watching the failure of favourites and the successes, in some cases, of rank outsiders, unbacked for a shilling. The Glasgerion horse Red Crest, who won the opening selling plate from Wearing a Crown, and gave Beary his first winning ride since his suspension, had supporters, but he was not so well backed as William's Mount, who finished third.

Mr. Joel's cast-off, Pasha, once well backed for a Cambridgeshire and then for a Lincolnshire, did seem, in the colours of his new owner, Mr. Barling, a likely winner of a moderate-class selling plate, and odds were laid on him, but he was beaten a head by Flavius. There is this to be said in explanation of his defeat, and that is that he met with some interference close home, and that this may have enabled the 10 to 1 chance to get up on the post and beat him.

SUNNE'S BRIDE'S WIN.

Another 10 to 1 chance in Sunne's Bride, owned by Lord Londonderry, was successful in the Lambton T.-Y.-O. Stakes. Here Hard Lines was favourite, but he was beaten some distance from home, and Chunky was the only one who made a race with the Wynward Park representative. The filly had no difficulty in beating him by two lengths, Presto being again a failure.

Mr. Persse and his patron, Mr. J. P. Arkwright, had reason to be dissatisfied all round with the day. After their *contretemps* with Lomondside, their filly, Helene, was made favourite for the Hardwicke Plate. She was first away, and at the distance she still held a good lead, but then she began to weaken ominously, and Lovely Naples, owned and trained by De Mestre, went to the front, and in spite of the fact that Welsh Main was putting in good work at the finish, won by a length and a half. Beasley did not persevere on Helene, and she was beaten out of a place.

Backers supported six horses in the last race, but they would not look at Hasty Love. This was the one, however, who came to beat the favourite, Jenico, by a length, with the second favourite, Diagram, a short head away, third. This completed an afternoon which had been much spoilt by rain.

To-morrow the programme here is none too interesting. The Durham County Produce Plate will see only a very small field, out of which I choose ROSEOLA, to beat St. Jerome. Allets runs for the Middlesborough Welter, but she has only been seen out once this season. Iceberg, Evening Rose, Celadon and Pandarus have chances, but I shall choose OPEN PROSPECT, who did not have the best of luck at Kempton last week. NOTTINGHAM PET looks about the best of those engaged in the Wilton Welter Handicap.

Bath also serves up a thin programme, and, as Monastery Garden does not run for the Grenville Maiden Plate, a chance can be given to SWEETIE. ABBOT'S REMORSE, on her Windsor form with White Spot and Pinault, may win the Grosvenor Handicap. Next to her I like Knickerbocker best.

GALTEE MORE.

FORM HORSES.

STOCKTON.

1.45—Open Prospect.	3.30—Te'Oran.
2.15—Polish Saint.	3.45—Thalastris.
2.45—Mirabol.	4.15—Pleasant Thoughts.
3.15—Roseola, nap.	

BATH.

2. 0—Run out.	3.30—Fort Flare.
2.30—Red Ronald.	4. 0—Ariadne.
3. 0—Missing Gem.	4.30—Make and Break

Eclipse.

SPECIAL SELECTIONS FOR TO-DAY.

Daily Mirror :—Double — Nottingham Pet and St. Jerome (nap).

Daily Graphic :—Double — Open Prospect (nap) and Bucks Yeoman.

Westminster Gazette :—To-day's best — Open Prospect. Double—Open Prospect and Nottingham Pet.

Daily Express :—Safety bet — Open Prospect. Double — Open Prospect and Lewendon.

CURRAGH TRAINING NOTES.

THE CURRAGH, Wednesday.

A fine morning.

FETHERSTONHAUGH'S Aranis was sent a mile and a half; Chadiza, Tinto, Buchan's Bridge, White Coral and Little Clifter were usefully employed.

DOYLE'S Tranquillite, Leonora, Peacemaker, Fariray, Andy, May Orb, Wiskit and others of the team had healthy exercise.

REIDY'S Cornbin and Caros went five furlongs at half-speed.

COOMBS'S Ceylonese came a mile at a striding pace; May Pan Out, Golden Bird and Argozone went six furlongs.

SELECTIONS FOR MALLOW—THURSDAY.
Mount Hilary Plate—GREY POINT.
Military Hunt Cup—SHEMUS.
Blarney Plate—TONY LAD.
Tailteann Gold Cup—ARDSALLAGH or WILD ARGOSY.
Knockmealdown Plate—KILTAGHAN.
Mallow Spa Plate—HAZEL GROVE.

Departures for Mallow:—Maureen M., The Kid, Mallow Bridge, Millbank, Ardsallagh, Lislea, Amatoi, Petit Beau, Bealach Conglas, Rosmeen and Marten's Light.

ACCEPTANCES.

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Mirawala	3	7	4	Ripolin	3	6	8
Dalmagarry	4	7	2	Mayrian	3	6	8
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MALLOW.

EXCITING FINISHES.

WEST INDIES WINS SUMMER CUP.

Several showers fell at Mallow yesterday, but they were light and of little consequence. There was a large crowd to witness the opening stage of the meeting and enjoy a very pleasant afternoon amidst the beautiful surroundings. Although not so important as the Tailteann Gold Cup, the Mallow Summer Cup was an interesting event, and provided a good race, and several other close finishes helped to make the sport of an attractive character. The mannequin parade and the No. 1 Army band were other items which added to the general enjoyment of the afternoon's proceedings, and to-day there will be provided another feature in the nature of an aeroplane landing by Steve Donoghue, who will ride Gifted, the favourite for the Gold Cup, later in the afternoon. Gifted was well backed on the course yesterday, as were Maureen M., Mernault, Tara Prince, Wild Argosy, and Ardsallagh, and a fine contest is in store.

Striped Silk must have now established a record for the number of successes achieved this season. She was exploited again in the Kanturk Plate. She won in the customary easy style, this being her eighth consecutive victory. Buzzing Bee disappointed by her showing in the Fermoy Plate, but it transpired that she went amiss just before the race. The Little Boss was in front all the way, and though Buzzing Bee lessened the gap appreciably in the last furlong, John Doyle's mount held on to the end to win by a head. There was no bid for the winner when submitted to auction.

Brackbawn had an easy task to win the Buttevant Steeplechase. He had his three opponents well beaten a long way from home, but Slieve Grien, who finished second, is a promising type of young 'chaser, who should capture a race before long.

West Indies was afforded an opportunity in the Mallow Summer Cup of atoning for her defeat at Phœnix Park, and odds were laid on her chance. She ran her race in snatches, but fortunately for her backers put in her best work in the last furlong, and, overtaking Friarstown in the last few strides, got up to score by half a length.

Easter Hero, who was fancied for the Galway Plate, but missed that engagement, was confidently expected to win the Rakes of Mallow Steeplechase. For a long way he flattered, but when tackled by Tony Lad after the last fence was easily disposed of by the latter. Backers of Grosvenor's Reward for the Trial Stakes were left in suspense until the judge's decision appeared in the frame. The 100 to 1 chance, Thomas Atkins, the mount of T. Sheehan, junior, made the running from the start, and was only overhauled in the last few strides by the favourite, who won by a short head. Details:—

2.45—THE KANTURK PLATE, a sweepstakes of 1 sov. each for starters, with 60 sovs. added, of which the second receives 5 sovs. A flat race. Weight for age. 1½ m.

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Mr. D. P. O'Brien's GIRALDUS, 5, 10-0 J. H. Harty 3
Mr. G. W. Welland's Charlie's Boss, 5, 10-0 P. FitzGerald 0
(Winner trained by H. I. Ussher.)

Betting—100 to 8 on STRIPED SILK, 20 to 1 agst any other.

Charlie's Boss led from Giraldus, Striped Silk, and Hysterics until half a mile from home, when Striped Silk drew into the lead, followed by Hysterics, and won easily by four lengths; twenty lengths separated second and third.

3.15—THE FERMOY PLATE. A sweepstakes of 1 sov. each for starters, with 60 sovs. added, of which the second will receive 5 sovs. A weight for age flat race. 5 f.

Mr J. J. Parkinson's ch. g. THE LITTLE BOSS, by The Boss—Nichette, 3, 8-9 John Doyle 1
Mrs. V. Morton Jackson's BUZZING BEE, 3, 8-9 Jos. Canty 2
Mr F. Burke's GOLDEN JEWEL, 5, 9-0 P. Cullen 3
(Winner trained by Owner.)

Betting—6 to 4 on Buzzing Bee, 6 to 4 agst. THE LITTLE BOSS, 20 to 1 Golden Jewel.

The Little Boss showed the way in front of Buzzing Bee and Golden Jewel, and, leading throughout, won by a head; fifteen lengths separated second and third. There was no bid for the winner.

3.45—THE BUTTEVANT PLATE. A sweepstakes of 3 sovs. each for starters, with 60 sovs. added, of which the second receives 5 sovs. A steeplechase. Weight for age, etc. 3 m.

Mrs. J. Lombard's br. g. BRACKBAWN, by Braxted—Market Gate, 5, 12-3 J. Lombard 1
Captain R. Holroyd-Smyth's SLIEVE GRIEN, 5, 12-3 ....Mr. S. H. Dennis 2
Mr. Jas. Whelan's THEODORA, a, 10-0 M. Farragher 3
Mr R. Barry's Another Try, 6, 10-5 P. Glavin 0
(Winner trained by J. Lombard.)

Betting.—2 to 1 on BRACKBAWN, 5 to 2 agst. Slieve Grien, 10 to 1 any other.

Theodora settled down from Slieve Grien, Another Try and Brackbawn for half the journey. Another Try was then eased up, Brackbawn taking the lead to win by five lengths; a bad third.

4.15—THE MALLOW SUMMER CUP of 500 sovs., including a Cup value 50 sovs. (or specie), at the option of the winner, of which the second receives 50 sovs., the third 25 sovs. and the fourth 10 sovs. For two years old. 5 f.

Major Dixon's b. f. WEST INDIES, by Jackdaw—Isle of the Blessed, 8-3 ...M. Wing 1
Captain R. B. Brassey's FRIARSTOWN, 8-3 (car. 8-4) T. Burns 2
Mr. J. J. Parkinson's SNOW SHOWER, 7-7 John Doyle 3
Mr. T. Kay's Cratloe, 8-7 Jos. Canty 0
Mr. J. T. Rogers's Crotanstown, 8-3 W. Hamill 0
(Winner trained by P. Behan.)

Betting—7 to 4 on WEST INDIES, 4 to 1 agst. Friarstown, 6 to 1 Snow Shower, 7 to 1 Crotanstown, 10 to 1 Cratloe.

Friarstown came on from West Indies, Snowshower and Cratloe to the distance, where Friarstown and West Indies took a slight lead of the others. Inside the distance West Indies challenged and won a good finish by half a length; two and a half lengths separated second and third. Cratloe was fourth.

4.45—THE RAKES OF MALLOW STEEPLECHASE, a sweepstakes of 1 sov. each for starters, with 60 sovs. added, of which the second receives 5 sovs. A handicap. 2 m.

Mr. T. J. O'Ryan's TONY LAD, 6, 11-7 J. Moylan 1
Mr. F. Barbour's EASTER HERO, 6, 9-11 E. Foster 2
Captain J. F. O'Grady's BROWN IVY, a, 10-9 Mr. T. B. Cullinan 3
Mr. W. F. Power's Warfate, a, 11-2 J. Hogan, jun. 0
Mr. P. O'Neill's Ballinatray, a, 9-13 S. Regan 0
(Winner trained by H. J. Ussher.)

Betting—Evens Easter Hero, 5 to 2 agst. TONY LAD, 7 to 1 each Brown Ivy and Warfate, 20 to 1 Ballinatray.

Tony Lad settled down from Brown Ivy, Easter Hero and Ballinatray to the last fence, where Tony Lad drew into the lead and won easily by three-parts of a length; a bad third. Only three completed the course.

5.10—GOLD CUP TRIAL STAKES, a sweepstakes of 1 sov. each for starters, with 60 sovs. added, of which the second will receive 5 sovs. A handicap flat race. 1 m. 1 f.

Mr. J. J. Parkinson's ch. g. GROSVENOR'S REWARD, by Grosvenor—Esteem, 4, 8-11 Jno. Doyle 1
Mr. P. Sheehan's THOMAS ATKINS, 3, 6-9 (car. 6-12) .... T. Sheehan, jun. 2
Mr. D. Sullivan's CARRIGNEIL, 5, 6-10 W. Rea 3
Mr. W. Desmond's Gossip Shop, a, 8-10 P. Cullen 0
Mr. J. Stannton's Tear Coat, 3, 8-0 D. Ward 0
Mr. W. J. O'Keeffe's Pre-Denis, 3, 7-12 E. Thorpe 0
(Winner trained by Owner.)

Betting—6 to 4 on GROSVENOR'S REWARD, 5 to 2 agst. Tear Coat, 10 to 1 each Carrigneil and Gossip Shop, 100 to 8 Pre-Denis, 100 to 1 Thomas Atkins.

Thomas Atkins led from Carrigneil, Gossip Shop, Grosvenor's Reward, and Pre-Dennis, until inside the distance, when Grosvenor's Reward challenged to win by a short head; a length and a half separated second and third. Gossip Shop was fourth. There was no bid for the winner.

TAILTEANN GOLD CUP.

TO-DAY'S BIG RACE.

To-day will see the decision of the Tailteann Gold Cup, which, as befits the best-endowed handicap run for in Ireland, has aroused considerable interest, and it should furnish a race in keeping with its importance. So far as can be gleaned, the field will be made up of the following:—

MAUREEN M., 4, 10-0....................A. Barrett
KING'S FALLOCH, 5, 9-8....................M. Wing
MISCHIEVOUS, 4, 9-5........................——
NANTENAN, 3, 9-5 ....T. Burns
GIFTED, 4, 9-2 ....S. Donoghue
WILD ARGOSY, 3, 9-2 ....J. Moylan
LISLEA, 5, 8-12 ....James Doyle
ARDSALLAGH, 3, 8-12 ....Jos. Canty
TANGLE TOES, 4, 8-8 ....D. Ward
MALLOW BRIDGE, 4, 8-6 ....W. Treacy
TARA PRINCE, 4, 8-5....................——
AMATOI, 3, 8-2 ....——
CREDO, 6, 8-2 ....J. H. Harty
MERNAULT, 3, 8-0....................John Doyle
LINETTE, 3, 8-0....................E. Foley
FLYING PRINCE, 6, 7-13....................J. Lenehan
MOLLOY, 3, 7-9....................——
THE KID, 4, 7-7....................W. Howard
MILLBANK, 3, 7-7....................J. Shatwell

Gifted hails from a successful stable, and although he has not earned a bracket this season he has acquitted himself sufficiently well to give him a chance here. Maureen M. is such a consistently good performer that, despite her big impost, she is not a little fancied, and Nantenan, Mernault, Linette, Wild Argosy, Ardsallagh, King's Falloch, and Mallow Bridge also have claims to consideration, whilst Millbank is reported to have done an excellent preparation. However, for the winner I shall rely on

GIFTED,

and he may be hunted home by **Maureen M.** and **Wild Argosy.**

Other selections are appended:—

Mount Hilary Plate—**Clare Island; if absent, Grey Point.**
Military Hunt Cup—**Shemus.**
Blarney Plate—**Knight of the Wilderness; if absent, Tony Lad.**
Knockmealdown Plate—**Jerpoint** or **Bealach Conglas.**
Mallow Spa Plate—**Rosmeen.**

2.45—THE MOUNT HILARY (S.) PLATE, a sweepstakes of 1 sov. each for starters, with 60 sovs. added, of which the second receives 10 sovs. and the third 5 sovs. A handicap hurdle race. 1½ m.

	Age	st.	lb.
GOLD LABEL (Mr. D. J. Power) Connolly	a	12	7
MAGIC ROD (Miss L. Delmege) ...Connolly	a	11	11
GREY POINT (Mr. F. Burke) ......Collins	5	11	11
PETIT BEAU (Capt. Maher) ......Dawson	a	11	8
ABDULLA (Mr. G. Dodd) ......H. Harty	5	11	8
O MAY (Mr. A. Willis) ......Parkinson	4	10	12
MOUNT PROSPECT (Col. M. Hogan) Moss	a	10	12
AMBROSE (Mr. J. J. Parkinson) ......Owner	4	10	3
LUKESTON (Mr. M. O. Springfield) Purcell	a	10	3
GOLDEN JEWEL (Mr. F. Burke) ...Collins	5	10	3
CLARE ISLAND (Mr. J. J. Parkinson) Owner	4	10	0
SILVER CREST (Mr. T. R. Maguire) Feore	a	9	7
DINIS ISLAND (Mr. J. J. O'Connor) Owner	a	9	7

3.15—THE MILITARY HUNT CUP, value 40 sovs., with 40 sovs. added, of which the second receives 10 sovs. and the third 5 sovs. A steeplechase. Weight for age, etc. 3 m.

	Age	st.	lb.
BRACKBAWN (Mrs. J. Lombard)...Lombard	5	12	3
LADY SPRAY (Mr. F. W. Wise) ......Owner	5	11	10
ROYAL GREEN (Mr. T. Ryan) Fitzgibbon	4	10	10
ARDFINNAN (Mr. F. W. Wise) ......Owner	a	10	0
ANOTHER TRY (Mr. R. Barry) U.Lombard	6	10	0
SEA MIRAGE (Mr. R. Delany) ......Owner	a	10	0
SHEMUS (Mr. E. Flannery) ......Owner	6	10	0
LET ME GO (Mr. John Gleeson) ...Owner	5	10	0
SILVER MANE (Lt.-Gen. P. M'Mahon) Parkinson	a	10	0
MADAM ROSE (Mr. J. O'Dell) Fitzgibbon	a	10	0
RED ROCKET (Mrs. H. Smyth) ......Smyth	4	10	0

3.45—THE BLARNEY PLATE, a sweepstakes of 1 sov. each for starters, with 60 sovs. added, of which the second receives 5 sovs. A weight for age flat race. 2 m. 140 yds.

	Age	st.	lb.
DESTHORPE (Mr. B. W. Purdon) ..Owner	6	11	10
CHARLIE'S BOSS (Mr. C. W. Welland) Owner	5	11	10
KNIGHT OF THE WILDERNESS (Mr. G. White) ......Cunningham	6	11	10
ROCYT (Mr. J. W. Widger) ......Widger	5	11	10
K.H. (Mr. J. W. Widger) ......Widger	4	11	10
LETHAM (Mr. J. D. Wilkinson) H. Hartigan	6	11	10
BALLYFINAGHY (Mr. A. Willis) Brabazon	6	11	10
ARDFINNAN (Mr. F. W. Wise) ......Owner	a	11	10
KARA-TETE (Mr. J. P. O'Donnell) Owner	5	11	10
TONY LAD (Mr. J. T. O'Ryan) ....Ussher	6	11	10
HYSTERICS (Mr. R. L. Philpot) ....Owner	4	11	10
SILENT DOON (Mr. D. J. Power) Connolly	6	11	10
GOLD LABEL (Mr. D. J. Power) Connolly	a	11	10
BALLINACURRA VALE (Mrs. P. H. Madden) ......Madden	a	11	10
ROYDON LADDIE (Mr. J. Nugent) Nugent	a	11	10
MISS MORELLA (Mr. D. P. O'Brien) Owner	a	11	10
SANTHOME (Mr. J. S. Barrett) H. Harty	5	11	10
MAIDSTOWN (Mr. N. Connolly) ....Owner	a	11	10
GOLDEN LIGHT (Mrs. Croft) ......Ussher	5	11	10
MAGIC ROD (Miss L. Delmege) .....Connolly	a	11	10
THIRTY NINE (Mr. G. B. Dwyer) ..Owner	a	11	10
DERBY (Mr. W. Dwyer) ......Owner	a	11	10
BALLYCARRON LASS (Miss M. Feore) Feore	5	11	10
GREEN SHUTTER (Mr. J. C. Galstaun) Parkinson	3	10	9
GOLDEN LOMOND (Mr. C. S. Barry) Collins	3	10	9
INNISCARRA (Mr. J. D. O'Connell) Owner	3	10	9
GENTLE LADY (Mr. J. T. Purcell) Owner	3	10	9

4.15—THE TAILTEANN GOLD CUP of 1,000 sovs. (including a Gold Cup value 100 sovs.), of which the second receives 75 sovs., the third 25 sovs., and the fourth 15 sovs. A handicap flat race. 1 m. 1 f.

	Age	st.	lb.
VESINGTON STAR (Mr. R. J. Duggan) Rogers	5	10	5
CREVECOEUR II. (Mr. A. Heathorn) Bartholomew	4	10	0
EAST GALWAY (Mr. J. S. Shepherd) Arnott	4	10	0
MAUREEN M. (5lb. ex.) Mr. L. Scott) Perry	4	10	0
KING'S FALLOCH (5lb. ex.) (Col. Honner) Honner	5	9	8
MISCHIEVOUS (Mr. F. H. Prince) Walker	4	9	5
NANTENAN (5lb ex.) (Capt. R. B. Brassey) H. Hartigan	3	9	5
GIFTED (Mr. A. Heathorn)......Bartholomew	4	9	2
LISLEA (Mr. P. J. Murphy) ......Doyle	5	8	12
ARDSALLAGH (Mr. A. M'Cann) Dawson	3	8	12
WILD ARGOSY (10lb. ex.) (Mr. H. I. Ussher) Owner	3	9	2
LOUVOIS PRIZE (Mr. J. E. Tyrrell) Ussher	5	8	9
TANGLE TOES (Mr. C. T. Vandeleur) Fitzpatrick	4	8	8
MALLOW BRIDGE (Mr. P. FitzGerald) Fetherston	4	8	6
ETTINGTON (Major Shirley) ......J. Rogers	3	8	6
TARA PRINCE (5lb. ex.) (Mr. H. M. Hartigan) ......Owner	4	8	5
AMATOI (Mr. A. B. Coyle) ......Fordred	3	8	2
CREDO (Mr. A. J. M'Namara) ...H. Harty	6	8	2
WHITE CORAL (Mr. W. T. de Pledge) Fetherston	5	8	2
ARGENTAN (Major Dixon) ......Dawson	3	8	1
LINETTE (Mr. H. T. Kirwan) ......Moss	3	8	0
MERNAULT (Mr. John Ryan) ......Moss	3	8	0
FLYING PRINCE (Mr. T. P. O'Neill) Lenehan	6	7	13
FEDAMORE (5lb. ex.) (Capt. R. B. Brassey) H. Hartigan	3	7	12
MOLLOY (Mr. F. S. Myerscough)......Fordred	3	7	9
MECLARE (Mrs. E. A. Dodd) ......Collins	3	7	9
THE KID (Mr. L. Scott) ......Perry	4	7	7
MILLBANK (Mr. C. M'Loughlin)......Reidy	3	7	7

4.45—THE KNOCKMEALDOWN PLATE, a sweepstakes of 1 sov. each for starters, with 60 sovs. added, of which the second receives 5 sovs. A steeplechase for maidens. 2 m.

	Age	st.	lb.
SILVER PINION (Mr. J. O'Sullivan) O'Sullivan	6	12	3
BEALACH CONGLAS (Mr. J. J. Parkinson) Owner	a	12	3
HUNODE (Capt. W. Molony) ......Owner	a	12	3
MADAM ROSE (Mr. J. O'Dell) Fitzgibbon	a	12	3
FIGHTING BIRD (Mr. C. O'Driscoll) Lombard	6	12	3
KILDARRA (Mr. W. O'Driscoll) ..Lombard	a	12	3
LIGHTFOOT II. (Mr. J. C. M'Carthy) Owner	a	12	3
SILVER MANE (Lt.-Gen. P. M'Mahon) Parkinson	a	12	3
JERPOINT (Mr. F. Barbour) ......Bickley	6	12	3
LEADINGTON (Mr. Con Barry) ..Lombard	a	12	3
NEVER DESPAIR (Mr. Jas. Barry) Lombard	a	12	
BALLINACURRA VALE (Mrs. P. H. Madden) ......Madden	a	12	
ANOTHER TRY (Mr. R. Barry) ..Lombard	6	12	3
SHEMUS (Mr. E. Flannery) ......Owner	6	12	3
RANAHAN (Mr. R. J. Duggan) ...Ussher	5	11	10
KILTAGHAN (Mr. J. E. Tyrrell) ...Ussher	5	11	10
FRANKFORT LODGE (Mr. J. T. Purcell) Owner	5	11	10
BEN MACREE (Mr. C. Joyce) ......Owner	5	11	10
BALLINACURRA STAR (Mr. W. J. Madden) ......Owner	5	11	10
HONEY BOY (Mr. A. Heaphy) ......Owner	4	10	10
19TH HOLE (Mrs. R. J. M'Nally) Fitzgibbon	4	10	10
SENTENCED (Mr. J. J. Manning) ....Moss	4	10	10
WILD ALDER (Mr. J. C. O'Sullivan) O'Sullivan	4	10	10

5.10—THE MALLOW SPA PLATE, a sweepstakes of 1 sov. each for starters, with 60 sovs. added, of which the second receives 5 sovs. A handicap. 6 f. 63 yds.

	Age	st.	lb.
NOBLE PRINCE (5lb. ex.) (Mr. F. Burke) Collins	5	10	4
EZRA (Mr. J. Doyle) ......Owner	a	9	7
ROI DU MONDE (Mr. T. Ray) ......Owner	4	9	3
GREY POINT (Mr. F. Burke) ......Collins	5	9	2
HAZEL GROVE (Mr. Jos. Read) ..Coombs	3	9	1
POPPY DAY (Mr. H. S. Gray) ..Behan	3	9	0
GROSVENOR'S REWARD (Mr. J. J. Parkinson) ......Owner	4	8	13
GOSSIP SHOP (Mr. W. Desmond)...Owner	a	8	11
ROSMEEN (Mr. A. M'Cann) ......Dawson	4	8	10
MARTEN'S LIGHT (Mr. P. Monahan) Doyle	3	8	6
LITTLE VERA (Mrs. J. Colbert) ..Staunton	3	8	6
DANUM (Mr. M. J. Magnier) ......Owner	5	8	2
KYLEMORE (Mr. J. J. Foley) ......Owner	4	8	1
GOOD-BYE (Mr. J. T. Rogers) ......Owner	3	8	0
RIGHTING (Col. M. Hogan) ......Moss	3	7	7

TRAIN ARRANGEMENTS.

A special train leaves Kingsbridge this morning at 10.50, and returns at 6.30 p.m.

TAILTEANN GOLD CUP.

COURSE BETTING—YESTERDAY.

5 to 1 agst. Gifted.
8 to 1 „ Maureen M.
10 to 1 „ Mernault.
12 to 1 „ Tara Prince.
12 to 1 „ Wild Argosy.
12 to 1 „ Ardsallagh.
100 to 6 „ Millbank.

OFFICIAL SCRATCHINGS.

YORK MEETING.

Ebor Handicap—Canusa, at 4.28 p.m.; Shagreen and Kyra, at 10 p.m. on Tuesday.

Six Furlong Selling Plate, and Five Furlong Handicap—Pheidon.

All five and six furlong races at York, August Meeting—Equator.

York August Meeting engagements—Arson.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Hammersmith Selling Plate, Hurst Park—San Foi.

All engagements in Colonel B. C. Fairfax's name—Noctiluce.

Gatwick August Meeting engagement—Duet.

Gatwick engagement—Rushlight.

All engagements in Mr. Glen's name—Trecarne, Chatham Prince.

All engagements in Sir A. Bailey's name—Parti.

All handicaps for which the weights have appeared—Sunday Rambler.

All published handicaps—Predial.

SELECTIONS FOR BATH MEETING TO-DAY.

PAPER.	2.0 RACE.	2.30 RACE.	3.0 RACE.	3.30 RACE.	4.0 RACE.	4.30 RACE.
Irish Times	Perle d'Or.	Red Ronald.	Missing Gem.	Lewendon.*	Thistabel.	Make and Break.
Do. Galtee More	—	—	Sweetie.	Abbot's Remorse.	—	—
S Life and Sportsman	Big Ben; if ab., Windover.	Red Ronald.	Missing Gem.	Lewendon.	Watchful.	Make and Break.
Man on the Spot	Windover.	Red Ronald.	Baguette filly.	Lewendon.*	Watchful.	Make and Break.
Westminster Gazette	Big Ben.	Red Ronald.	Baguette filly.	Abbot's Remorse or Knicker Bocker.	Watchful.	Make and Break.
Daily Express	O'Sullivan's sel.; if ab., Orenza.	Dandy Desmond; if ab., Red Ronald.	F. Darling's sel.; if ab., Edouard.	Lewendon n.b.	Menassier; if ab., Watchful.	Make and Break; if ab., Kelvin.
Daily Mirror	Big Ben.	Red Ronald.	Baguette filly.	Knicker Bocker.	Watchful.	Wild Buck.
Daily Graphic	Big Ben.	Drive On.	Bramble Tart.	Lewendon.	Menassier.	—
Star	—	—	—	—	—	—
Evening News	Big Ben.	Red Ronald.*	Edouard.	Knicker Bocker.	Big Black Boy.	Wild Buck.*
Evening Standard	Purler	Red Ronald.	Etoile du Nord.	Lewendon.	Watchful.	Kelvin.
Times	Big Ben, if ab. Charming.	Bennett's selected.	Edouard.	Esca.	Make and Break, if ab Rockminster.	Make and Break, if. ab., Sir Sydney.

STOCKTON RESULTS.

1.45—NORTON SELLING HANDICAP PLATE of 200 sovs. 5 f.

Mr. H. Leader's b. g. RED CREST, by Glasgerion—Tropeole, 6, 8-5............M. Beary 1
Mr. W. T. Sears's WEARING A CROWN, 3, 7-12 ....H. Leach 2
Mr. F. Armstrong's WILLIAM'S MOUNT, 3, 7-5 ....T. Weston 3

Also ran—Double Six (J. Taylor), Salic (J. Thwaites), Surcoat (P. Beasley), Polymion (W. Sherry), Little Red Riding Hood (W. Nevett), Amierita (C. Parker), Queen's Consort (H. Stone), Spotless (W. Christie), Essandar (D. Morris), Bold Peggy (A. Broady), Abracadabra (G. Walsh), Coverdale (W. Alford), Hornless (J. Duckenfield). Off 1.46. (Winner trained by Owner.)

Betting.—"Sporting Life"—9 to 2 agst. William's Mount, 5 to 1 Abracadabra, 6 to 1 each RED CREST, Hornless and Wearing a Crown, 100 to 8 each Salic and Essandar, 100 to 6 any other. "Sporting Chronicle"—Same.

Won by a length and a half; three-parts of a length. Little Red Riding Hood was fourth and Coverdale last.

The winner was bought in for 130 gns.

2.15—MANDALE SELLING PLATE of 300 sovs. 7 f.

Mr. S. Morris's ch. g. FLAVIUS, by Valens—Whin Chat, a, 8-8 ....J. Taylor 1
Mr. F. B. Barling's PASHA, 5, 8-13....H. Jelliss 2
Mr. W. M. G. Singer's FLEETING FRIAR, 4, 8-8 ....R. Jones 3

Also ran—Rendezvous (H. Jameson), Soldier Song (J. Thwaites), Malabar (E. Sully), Unison (H. Stone), Jingle (L. Brown), Vendemiaire (F. Winter), Lady Rockville (G. Hulme), Gwydir (H. Wragg), Binks (W. Nevett). Off 2.18. (Winner trained by M. Vasey.)

Betting.—"Sporting Life"—11 to 8 on Pasha, 11 to 2 agst. Fleeting Friar, 6 to 1 Gwydir, 8 to 1 each Lady Rockville and Binks, 10 to 1 each FLAVIUS and Jingle, 20 to 1 any other. "Sporting Chronicle"—Same.

Won by a head; a length. Gwydir was fourth and Unison last.

The winner wa bought in for 175 gns.

2.45—ZETLAND PLATE of 300 sovs. Second 25 sovs. 1½ m.

Mr. J. B. Leigh's br. f. GAY GAMP, by Gay Crusader—Parasol, 3, 7-13 ....R. Perryman 1
Mrs. Lloyd's OSPRAY, 3, 8-2 ....M. Beary 2
Mr. H. Smith Turberville's STEEL POINT, 3, 8-7 ....H. Jelliss 3

Also ran:—Ifwedo (J. Thwaites), Capped (J. Beasley), Speardance (W. Alford). Off 2.47. (Winner trained by C. Leader.)

Betting.—"Sporting Life"—2 to 1 agst. GAY GAMP, 100 to 30 Steel Point, 4 to 1 Speardance, 5 to 1 each Capped and Ospray, 100 to 8 Ifwedo. "Sporting Chronicle"—Same.

Won by a length and a half; two lengths. Speardance was fourth and Ifwedo last.

3.15—LAMBTON T.Y.O. STAKES of 5 sovs. each, with 300 sovs. added. Second 25 sovs. 5 f.

Lord Londonderry's br. f. SUNNE'S PRIDE, by Son-in-Law—Sun and Air, 8-7 .....C. Elliott 1
Capt. S. Riley Lord's CHUNKY, 8-10...M. Beary 2
Capt. L. Montagu's HARD LINES, 8-7 J. Childs 3

Also ran:—Discovery (J. Leach), Presto (H. Leach), Lalla Rookh (R. Perryman). Off 3.17. (Winner trained by Pickering.)

Betting.—"Sporting Life"—6 to 4 agst. Hard Lines, 5 to 2 Chunky, 4 to 1 Presto, 5 to 1 Discovery, 10 to 1 SUNNE'S BRIDE, 100 to 6 Lalla Rookh. "Sporting Chronicle"—Same.

Won by two lengths; half a length. Discovery was fourth and Lalla Rookh last.

3.45—STOCKTON STEWARDS' HANDICAP PLATE of 1,000 sovs. Second 100 sovs. and third 50 sovs. 1 m.

Sir H. Cunliffe-Owen's br. h. ALL GREEN, by Greenback—Verity, 5, 8-0 .... H. Leach 1
Mr. R. L. Glasspool's CREOLIAN, 5, 7-4 G. Walsh 2
Mr. W. J. Bellerby's KING OF CLUBS, 6, 7-3 J. Duckenfield 3
Lord Allendale's Valdore, 4, 7-12 ...... A. Orme 0
Lord Glanely's Sunderland, 4, 7-12 J. Thwaites 0
Lord Derby's Helter Skelter, 3, 7-11 T. Weston 0
Sir L. Green's Impress, 4, 6-7 .... F. Webb 0
Mr. J. P. Arkwright's Lomondside, 4, 6-11 W. Alford (disq.)

Off 3.47. (Winner trained by Bell.)

Betting—"Sporting Life"—2 to 1 agst. ALL GREEN, 3 to 1 Helter Skelter, 6 to 1 Sunderland and King of Clubs, 8 to 1 each Valdore and Impress, 10 to 1 Lomondside, 100 to 6 Creolian. "Sporting Chronicle"—Same.

Creolian started slowly. Impress raced in front of All Green, Lomondside, Helter Skelter, Valdore, and Sunderland, with Creolian last. At half-way Impress had established a long lead, with the others in the same order; but in the straight the leader was beaten, and All Green went to the front, followed by Lomondside. At the distance the latter challenged, and won by three-quarters of a length; four lengths separated second and third. King of Clubs was fourth, Impress fifth, Helter Skelter sixth, and Sunderland last.

An objection to the winner for bumping and boring was sustained, and the race awarded to All Green, King of Clubs being placed third.

4.15—HARDWICKE PLATE of 800 sovs. Breeder of winner receives 100 sovs. Owner and breeder of second each receives 50 sovs. out of plate. Two years old. 5 f.

Mr E. G. de Mestre's b. f. LOVELY NAPLES, by Vencedor—Napoule, 7-11 .... J. Marshall 1
Sir R. Jardine's WELSH MAIN, 8-1 W. McLachlan 2
Captain J. Homfray's OUTLOOK F., 8-5 J. Dines 3
Lord Zetland's Preceptor, 9-3 .... C. Elliott 0
Mr. J. P. Arkwright's Helene, 8-11 H. Beasley 0
Sir A. Bailey's Mary Starr, 8-9 ...... M. Beary 0
Lord Lascelles's Philopena, 8-9 ...... J. Childs 0
Mr. A. de Rothschild's Glaucopis, 8-9 R. Perryman 0
Sir G. Renwick's Kwasu, 8-5 .... G. Hulme 0
Lord Londonderry's Te Oran, 7-11 ... T. Weston 0

Off 4.22 (Winner trained by Owner.)

Betting—"Sporting Life"—6 to 4 agst. Helene, 100 to 30 Glaucopis, 11 to 2 LOVELY NAPLES, 6 to 1 Outlook f., 8 to 1 Welsh Main, 10 to 1 Preceptor, 100 to 7 any other. "Sporting Chronicle"—Same.

Lovely Naples was disinclined to face the starter, and there was a breakaway. Helene (on the inside) got off clear of Outlook filly and Lovely Naples. In the straight the last-named and Helene drew well clear of Preceptor, Outlook filly, and Glaucopis, with Mary Starr last. At the distance Lovely Naples went to the front and won easily by a length and a half from Welsh Main, who ran on strongly to gain second place, with Outlook filly third, the same distance away. Mary Starr was fourth, Helene fifth, Glaucopis sixth, Te'Oran seventh, Kwasu eighth, and Preceptor last.

4.45—COUNTY STAND HANDICAP PLATE of 200 sovs. Second 25 sovs. 6 f.

Mr. D. Goold's br. f. HASTY LOVE, by Hurry On—Love-Oil, 4, 7-5 .... D. Morris 1
Mr. A. Hood's JENICO, 4, 8-1 ...... R. James 2
Mr. T. F. Ryan's DIAGRAM, 4, 8-3 H. Beasley 3

Also ran—Sweet Rocket (J. Leach), Brixton (N. Carroll), Fairy Elf (Haynes), Latium (W. Nevett), Garrison (J. Duckenfield). Off 4.46. (Winner trained by R. J. Colling.)

Betting—"Sporting Life"—3 to 1 agst. Jenico, 4 to 1 Diagram, 5 to 1 each Garrison, Sweet Rocket and Brixton, 7 to 1 Latium, 100 to 8 HASTY LOVE or any other. "Sporting Chronicle"—Same.

Won by a short head; a length. Fairy Elf was fourth and Sweet Rocket last.

TO-DAY'S SELECTIONS.

There will probably be but a small field today for that valuable prize, the Durham County Produce Plate. Hopes are entertained that St. Jerome will carry Lord Lascelles's colours successfully, though he has run three times this season without catching the judge's eye. Roseola had not much to beat when successful at Kempton Park last week, but she could do no more than win. Zenobia should easily account for Crystal Set, and the issue appears to rest between St. Jerome and Zenobia, with a slight preference for the former. It is expected that all those left in the Wilton Welter Plate will be saddled. Maynooth appears to have plenty of weight. On his victory over a mile and a half at Catterick Bridge there is much to be said in favour of Dropitin. Italian Poet is fancied, as are also Charmione and Nottingham Pet, but the choice is Polish Saint, who may have most to fear from Dropitin. Selections:—

Middlesbro Plate—**Evening Rose.**
Wilton Welter—**Polish Saint.**
Billingham Selling—**Gamvros.**
County Produce Plate—**St. Jerome.**
Private Sweepstakes—**Ambo.**
Thornaby Plate—**Fire Queen.**
Elton Plate—**Pleasant Thoughts.***

1.45—MIDDLESBROUGH WELTER HANDICAP PLATE of 500 sovs. Second receives 25 sovs. 5 f.

	Age	st.	lb.
MARINE PARADE (Ld. Glanely) Archer	3	9	4
FAIRY ELF (Mr. F. Finn) ....Toon	6	9	2
ALLETS (Mr. A. Macaulay) ....Ireland	3	8	11
ICEBERG (Col. B. Fairfax) J. Renwick	4	8	10
EVENING ROSE (Mr. O. Tordoff) Hamshaw	3	8	10
THE HABERDASHER (Mr. Barker) Botterill	5	8	10
AMAZEMENT (Mr. H. Mollekin) M. Vasey	5	8	10
PANDARUS (Lt.-Col. Carruthers)) R. J. Colling	a	8	9
NORTH RIDING (Mr. Dugdale) Peacock	3	8	6
ROMAN EAGLE (Mrs. G. Drummond) Leach, jun.	4	8	3
BUCKLER (Sir R. Jardine) ...T. Waugh	3	8	0
CELADON (Lord Derby) ......Lambton	3	7	12
OPEN PROSPECT (Sir A. Bailey) R. Day	4	7	12
POLANGUS (Mr. S. Joel) ....Earl	3	7	8

Form.	Probable Starters and Jockeys.	Betting Forecast.
100	FAIRY ELF ......A. Haynes	10/1
00	ALLETS ......Marshall	100/8
212	EVENING ROSE ......Elliott	7/1
000	THE HABERDASHER ......A. Balding	100/8
010	ICEBERG ......Hulme	4/1
024	AMAZEMENT ......J. Taylor	8/1
042	PANDARUS ......Winter	5/1
000	ROMAN EAGLE ......H. Leach	10/1
000	BUCKLER ......McLachlan	10/1
000	CELADON ......Weston	8/1
034	OPEN PROSPECT ......Beary	7/2
040	NORTH RIDING ......Alford	100/8

2.15—WILTON WELTER HANDICAP PLATE of 400 sovs. Second receives 20 sovs. 1 m. 3 f.

	Age	st.	lb.
MAYNOOTH (Mrs. E. Croft) B. Rochfort	4	9	0
DROPITIN (Mr. G. Picken) ...Golightly	5	8	5
ITALIAN POET (Mr. H. Benjamin) Barling	4	8	5
ORPI (Mr. H. D. Basley) ....Basley	a	8	0
AQUILON (Mr. R. C. Dawson) ...Owner	6	8	0
POLISH SAINT (Mr. Glasspool) C. Leader	4	7	13
CHARMIONE (Mrs. G. Drummond) Leach, jun.	4	7	12
NOTTINGHAM PET (Col. W. Story) J. Dawson	4	7	9
BUCKS YEOMAN (Sir A. Bailey) R. Day	5	7	0
GOOD SCENT (Mr. J. Dugdale) Peacock	4	7	0

Form.	Probable Starters and Jockeys.	Betting Forecast.
103	MAYNOOTH ......McLachlan	5/1
310	DROPITIN ......Sherry	10/1
110	ITALIAN POET ......Marshall	7/1
013	POLISH SAINT ......Perryman	11/4
000	ORPI ......Thwaites	10/1
222	CHARMIONE ......H. Leach	9/2
040	NOTTINGHAM PET ......R. James	6/1
020	BUCKS YEOMAN ......Dines	7/2
032	GOOD SCENT ......D. Morris	7/1

2.45—BILLINGHAM SELLING HANDICAP PLATE of 200 sovs. 7 f.

	Age.	st.	lb.
LAST CRAG (Mr. S. Glover) ......Drake	a	9	0
APPEL (Lord Harewood) ......B. Jarvis	3	8	11
RETINA (Miss M. I. Roddam) Turnbull	5	8	11
RAFNAM (Col. B. C. Fairfax) J. Renwick	5	8	9
VENDEMIAIRE (Major W. Neilson) F. Armstrong	4	8	7
FOND MEMORIES (Mr. J. Hartley) Basley	3	8	7
LOMCENA (Mr. J. McLean)...McGuigan	5	8	7
GWYDIR (Lord Londonderry) Pickering	3	8	5
WHELDRAKE (Capt. H. Whitworth) J. Renwick	3	8	2
IRISH MAGIC (Mr. H. Leader) ...Owner	3	8	2
HONEYCOMB (Mr. H. Tait)......Skelton	a	8	0
TRUE NOTE (Mr. T. K. Fair) ....Yapp	3	7	12
POSTCARD (Mr. L. F. Fattorini) Pollock	4	7	12
HALT (Mr. J. Sharp) ....Walters	3	7	12
CLINCHER (Mr. J. Moseby) Chamberlin	4	7	12
IRIDESCENT (Mr. J. P. Davis) ...Owner	3	7	11
ETIVE (Mr. R. B. Thorburn) ......Rose	4	7	10
ALPHY (Mr. W. Green) ....Hehir	a	7	9
MERALDA (Mr. F. W. Turner) ...Manser	4	7	9
DOUBTFUL CHARACTER (Mr. W. F. Shedden) ......Owner	3	7	8
GAMYROS (Mr. H. Benjamin) ...Barling	3	7	7
TURPIN (Mr. R. Atkinson) ......Reader	4	7	7
COVERDALE (Mr. J. Johnson) ...Owner	4	7	5
ALEX (Mr. G. Baxter) ....Skelton	3	7	5
ALCOVE (Mrs. B. FitzGerald) H. Lowe	4	7	4
DAMSEL (Mr. Wallace Wyllie) ...Owner	5	7	2
MIRABOL (Mr. S. Morris) ......M. Vasey	3	7	2
ABRACADABRA (Mrs. Lily McLaughlin) J. Burns	3	7	2
ANGEL'S HOPE (Mr. J. McCall) Owner	4	6	12

Form.	Probable Starters and Jockeys.	Betting Forecast.
000	VENDEMIAIRE ......Winter	100/8
321	RAFNAM ......Hulme	7/1
224	IRISH MAGIC ......H. Leach	6/1
000	MERALDA ......Weston	8/1
001	GAMVROS ......Marshall	9/2
000	ALCOVE ......B. Lynch	100/8
301	DAMSEL ......Bancroft	10/1
000	ABRACADABRA ......Carroll	10/1
000	RETINA ......Walsh	100/8
000	FOND MEMORIES ......Thwaites	10/1
030	LOMCENA ......McGuigan	8/1
003	WHELDRAKE ......Nevett	10/1
000	HONEYCOMB ......Harding	10/1
004	POSTCARD ......E. Fox	100/8
001	IRIDESCENT ......Dines	7/1
000	ALPHY ......Lindborg	10/1
100	TURPIN ......R. James	8/1
003	MIRAMOL ......Alford	5/1
00c	CLINCHER ......J. Baxter	100/8

3.15—DURHAM COUNTY PRODUCE PLATE of 1,000 sovs. (of which 100 sovs. to breeder of winner, 50 sovs. each to owner and breeder of second, and 25 sovs. each to owner and breeder of third). Three-year-olds. 1 m. 5 f.

	st.	lb.
APPLE SAMMY (Mr. J. P. Hornung) H. Jarvis	9	12
STASIARCH (Ld. H. de Walden)...D. Waugh	9	3
ST. JEROME (Ld. Lascelles)......W. Jarvis	9	3
GORBIO (Mr. J. Dawson) ......Owner	9	0
QUEEN OF SPAIN C., by Spearwort (Mr. S. Wootton) ......Abroad	9	0
THISTLEDOWN (Mr. J. P. Hornung) B. Jarvis	9	0
BICARBONATE (Ld. H. de Walden) D. Waugh	9	0
OVERCALL (Mr. O. Tordoff)......Hamshaw	9	0
BULGARIAN (Ld. Lascelles)......W. Jarvis	9	0
REDDITOR (Sir H. Meux) ......Persse	9	0
CONSUL (Capt. J. Fielden) ......O. Bell	9	0
ST. JOHN (Sir William Cooke)......Platt	9	0
ROADWATER (Mr. R. Farquharson) Owner	9	0
ALTITUDE (Mrs. E. L. Ralli) ......Wootton	9	0
PELT (Lord Durham) ......P. Peck	8	11
GREY GOWN (Mr. A. Boazman)...Peacock	8	11
LINGUA FRANCA (Lord Durham)...P. Peck	8	11
SONGAR (Mrs. D. Gardner) ......J. Dawson	8	11
ROSEOLA (Mr. J. E. Widener) ......Crawford	8	11
LA CAVALE (Baron M. de Rothschild) Gilpin	8	11
BOLD TROUT (Sir R. Liddell)......Peacock	8	11
PHANTOM GEORGIE (Sir R. Liddell) Peacock	8	11
PELFFORD (Mr. Z. Michalinos)...F. Scott	8	11
DESKRIE (Mr. F. W. Morley)...M. Hartigan	8	11
MELGEO (Mr. M. Vasey) ......Owner	8	11
LANTERN LIGHT (Mr. A. de Rothschild) T. Cannon	8	11
FLASHING LIGHT (Mr. A. de Rothschild) T. Cannon	8	11
ZENOBIA (Mr. A. de Rothschild)...Watson	8	11
WILLIAM OF TYRE (Mr. A. Barclay Walker) ......Persse	8	11
MANGALMI F., by Amadis (Duke of Westminster) ......Wm. Griggs	8	11
QUEEN OF THE FOAM (Mr. J. White) O'Sullivan	8	11
TRILOGY (Lord Durham) ......P. Peck	8	8
CRYSTAL SET (Sir G. Renwick) J. Renwick	8	4

Form.	Probable Starters and Jockeys.	Betting Forecast.
202	ST. JEROME ......J. Childs	5/4
041	ROSEOLA ......P. Brown	2/1
234	ZENOBIA ......Perryman	11/4
230	CRYSTAL SET ......Crisp	7/1
300	TE'ORAN ......J. Leach	5/4
	AMBO ......Elliott	4/5

3.30—PRIVATE SWEEPSTAKES of £100 each. Two-year-olds. 5 f.

	st.	lb.
TE'ORAN (Ld. Londonderry) ......Pickering	9	0
VAL DE GRACE (Ld. Londonderry) Pickering	9	0
JACK IN THE BOX (Ld. Zetland) Dundas	9	0
AMBO (Lord Zetland) ......Dundas	8	11

3.45—THORNABY T.Y.O. SELLING PLATE of 200 sovs. 5 f.

	st.	lb.
HONFLEUR (Mr. V. Misa) ......V. Smyth	8	9
QUADRILATERAL (Mrs. B. C. Fairfax) J. Renwick	8	9
SHAPROCK (Mr. J. H. Jeffrey)......Higgs	8	9
WAR HERO (Mr. M. B. Barlow)...T. Webb	8	7
HARMONIC (Mr. J. S. Courtauld) B. Jarvis	8	7
URANUS (Maj. W. V. Beatty)......Owner	8	4
LILY WILLY F., by Polyphonic (Mr. L. F. Fattorini) ......Pollock	8	4
FIRE QUEEN (Lord Fitzwilliam) Dundas	8	4
CHEPSTOW LASS (Lord Glanely)......Archer	8	4
BAAL (Mrs. D. Golightly)......Golightly	8	4
BERNITA (Mr. F. Hartigan) ......Owner	8	4
RAINBOW (Mr. I. Isaacs) ......Hyams	8	4
EIDERDUCK (Mr. H. Johnstone) J. Dawson	8	4
BARIECA (H.H. Aga Khan)......R. Dawson	8	4
THALESTRIS (Mrs. E. F. Lawson) R. J. Colling	8	4
FLYING HERODIAS (Mr. H. Leader) Owner	8	4
VAL DE GRACE G., by Glanmerin (Lord Londonderry) ......Pickering	8	4
LE SOURIRE DE SAMEDI (Mr. J. McLean) McGuigan	8	4
LA SONRISA DEL SABADO (Mr. J. McLean) McGuigan	8	4
CRAIGENTINNY (Mr. W. Mason) ...Binnie	8	4
JACK PEARY (Mr. A. Skelton) ......Owner	8	4
GOOD TIDINGS (Mrs. Whitwell) Renwick	8	4

Form.	Probable Starters and Jockeys	Betting Forecast.
000	WAR HERO ......G. Ford	10/1
332	THALASTRIS ......J. Taylor	7/2
000	VAL DE GRACE G. ......J. Leach	7/1
400	LE SOURIRE DE SAMEDI ......McGuigan	8/1
034	FIRE QUEEN ......Elliott	2/1
310	QUADRILITERAL ......Hulme	6/1
001	SHAPROCK ......Winter	5/1
000	LILY WILLY F. ......E. Fox	10/1
00	JACK PEARY ......Boughton	10/1
0	GOOD TIDINGS ......Crisp	8/1

4.15—ELTON T.Y.O. MAIDEN PLATE of 200 sovs. Second 25 sovs. 5 f.

	st.	lb.
GOLDEN ROCKET (Sir E. Hanmer) Peacock	9	0
PLEASANT THOUGHTS (Mr. J. Dickie) Pope	9	0
MILETA (Mr. H. Mackay) ......H. Leader	9	0
RAYMAN (Mr. J. C. Barker) ......Botterill	8	12
FRANCELLA C., by Spearwort (Mr. C. R. Baron) ......Peacock	8	12
WEST BUCKLAND (Mr. C. F. Booth) Turnbull	8	12
GREY SQUIRREL (Col. B C. Fairfax) J. Renwick	8	12
MASTER JIM (Mr. L. F. Fattorini) Pollock	8	12
NUNNERY LANE (Sir Lycett Green) R. Armstrong	8	12
SMACK (Sir Lycett Green) ...R. Armstrong	8	12
MAEONIDES (Sir Percy Newman) J. Cannon	8	12
KING'S HERON (Sir Victor Sassoon) Crawford	8	12
BRIDGETOWN (Ld. Southampton) ..Beatty	8	12
TOURING PRINCE (Capt. A. Stanley Wilson) ......Storie	8	12
WAR HERO (Mr. M. B. Barlow) ...T. Webb	8	9
LADY LACHINE F., by Lemberg (Lord Barnby) ......Persse	8	9
PICTORIA F., by Somme Kiss (Mr. J. L. Dugdale) ......Peacock	8	9
MADEMOISELLE SUZON (Vicomte de Fontarce) ......R. Dawson	8	9
BROWN PAPER (Mrs. D. Golightly) Golightly	8	9
LITTORAL (Mr. A. W. Gordon) ...F. Leader	8	9
SLOVAK (Mr. Sol Joel) ......Earl	8	9
POMMARIA (Mr. Sol Joel) ......Earl	8	9
GOLDEN WAND (Mr. G. Lambton)...Owner	8	9
INDIAN STAR F., by Son-in-Law (Lord Londonderry) ......Pickering	8	9
HAILSTONE F., by Friar Marcus (Lord Londonderry) ......Pickering	8	9
YEHONALA (Lord Lonsdale) R. Armstrong	8	9
PERFECT LADY (Mr. R. Lumsden) Binnie	8	9
HARD LINES (Capt. Lionel Montagu) F. Hartigan	8	9
BOLD LILY F., by Russley (Mr. M. D. Peacock) ......Owner	8	9
KWILLOW (Sir George Renwick) W. Renwick	8	9
MINE OWN G., by White Eagle (Sir Hajee Ismail Salt) ......Beaumont	8	9
SHROUD (Capt. T. L. W.-Boynton) F. Armstrong	8	9

Form	Probable Starters and Jockeys	Betting Forecast.
1	PLEASANT THOUGHTS ......Forsyth	11/8
04	BRIDGETOWN ......Beary	5/1
	BRUNETTE ......J. Leach	8/1
00	HAILSTONE F. ......Elliott	10/1
000	SHROUD ......Winter	10/1
0	BOLD LILY F. ......R. James	10/1
001	GOLDEN ROCKET ......Jameson	6/1
302	RAYMAN ......J. Beasley	7/1
00	GREY SQUIRKELL ......Hulme	10/1
0	PICTORIA F. ......Nevett	10/1
4	YEHONALA ......Lindborg	8/1
0	KWILLON ......Crisp	100/8

LATEST SCRATCHINGS — Durham County Produce Plate—Sunny Agnes.

SPORTING PARAGRAPHS.

East Galway was struck out of the Tailtean Gold Cup at 5.40 p.m. yesterday.

At Newmarket yesterday, Earl's Prince Edward Handicap representative, Glommen, went well in a good stripped mile and three-quarters gallop with Pons Asinorum, St. Napoleon, and Duvet.

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BATH RESULTS.

2.0—ROUND HILL SELLING HIGH-WEIGHT HANDICAP, a plate of 200 sovs. Second saves entrance. 1 m.

Mr. A. R. Heath's b. c. WARWICK, by Russley—Miss Sunder, 3, 7-5 ....A. Burns 1
Mr. J. Benson's JAEROSA, 5, 8-7...B. Carslake 2
Mr. J. H. Brueton's STONETTE, 4, 7-11 T. Pryor 3

Also ran—Barrie Boy (J. Brennan), Lembirch (W. Morton), Dowser (C. Smirke), Noctifer (R. Dick), Kilkerran (K. Robertson), The Adjutant (Fox), Royal Plumage (P. Serby), Mount Idol (J. Caldwell), Mister Black (S. Donoghue), Lampblack (M. Ryan). Off 2.2. (Winner trained by Major Morris.)

Betting.—"Sporting Chronicle"—5 to 2 agst. Noctifer, 5 to 1 each Barrie Boy and The Adjutant, 6 to 1 Stonette, 7 to 1 Jaerosa, 100 to 8 WARWICK or any other. "Sporting Life"—Same.

Won by a short head; three lengths. Lembirch was fourth and Kilkerran last.

The winner was sold to Mr. Dollar for 470 gns.

2.30—BROCKHAM SELLING PLATE of 200 sovs. For two years old. Second to save entrance. 5 f.

Sir H. Meux's HOWITZER FILLY, by Torelore, 8-11 ....P. Beasley 1
Mr. S. Wootton's BEE DIVINE, 8-11...C. Smirke 2
Mr. E. Thornton Smith's AUNTIE LIZZIE F., 8-11 ....Fox 3

Also ran—Love Note c. (C. Sones), Felicite (C. Richards), Elegant Lad (A. Burns), Floridor (F. Lane), Nonchalante f. (P. Serby), Loose Moments (S. Donoghue), Downcast (J. Kerr), Market Girl f. (J. Brennan). Off 2.33. (Winner trained by Persse.)

Betting.—"Sporting Chronicle"—Evens Beedivine, 6 to 1 agst Felicite, 100 to 14 Downcast, 8 to 1 each Loose Moments and Auntie Lizzie f., 100 to 8 HOWITZER FILLY, 100 to 7 any other. "Sporting Life"—Same.

Won by three-parts of a length; a length. Loose Moments was fourth and Love Note c. last.

The winner was sold to Captain Elgee for 420 gns.

3.0—BATH FOAL STAKES of 5 sovs. each, with 100 sovs. added. For two years old. The owner at entry of winner and owner at running of second each to receive 20 sovs. out of stakes. 5 f.

Mr. J. A. de Rothschild's ch. f. ADMIRE, by Adular—Mirella, 8-8 ....F. Fox *
Mrs. A. Bendir's MEDMENHAM, 7-13...A. Burns *
Mr. F. Gretton's MARITZA FILLY, 8-5..F. Lane 3

Also ran—Laomedia filly (Brennan), Salt Sea (P. Beasley), Mary Gaunt filly (J. Pigg), Carlean filly (J. Caldwell), Peggy Spider filly (T. Pryor). *Dead-heat. Stakes divided. Off 3.1. Admire trained by Pratt; Medmenham by E. Harper.)

Betting.—"Sporting Chronicle"—11 to 8 on ADMIRE, 4 to 1 agst. Carlean filly, 10 to 1 Maritza filly, 100 to 8 MEDMENHAM or any other. "Sporting Life"—Same.

Dead-heat for first place; a length and a half. Laomedia was fourth and Mary Gaunt filly last.

3.30—BATH SUMMER HANDICAP, a plate of 300 sovs. Second receives 30 sovs., and third 10 sovs. About 1½ m. and 200 yds.

Lady Garioch's b. c. ROCKMINSTER, by Rocksavage—Flying Buttress, 3, 7-7..........F. Fox 1
Mr A. Morris's BLACK DAWN, 5, 7-6 A. Burns 2
Mr. G. Macbeth Menzies's LEEDS ROCK, 6, 7-12 ....J. T. Brown 3

Also ran—Corcyrian (Smirke), May Bush (Donoghue), Nem Soha (McCormack), Killucan (B. Lynch). Off 3.32. (Winner trained by C. Leader.)

Betting—"Sporting Chronicle"—5 to 2 agst. Black Dawn, 3 to 1 ROCKMINSTER, 7 to 2 Corcyrian, 100 to 14 Nem Soha, 8 to 1 each May Bush and Leeds Rock, 100 to 8 Killucan. "Sporting Life"—Same.

Won by a length and a half; a length. Corcyrian was fourth and Killucan last.

4.0—SPRINT HANDICAP, a plate of 100 sovs. Winner and second free. 5 f.

Mr. E. Thornton-Smith's ch. g. GOLDEN ARCH, by The Tetrarch—Golden Sauce, a, 9-0 F. Fox 1
Mr. A. E. Hesketh's PAINTBOX, 5, 7-5 C. Richards 2
Major T. G. N. Bardwell's HIRAM, 4, 7-10 S. Donoghue 3

Also ran—Charming (A. Burns), Arc-en-Ciel (J. Caldwell), Fawn Way (R. Jones), Synda-Pa (A. Berry), Polly Goodgame (P. Donoghue), Amarule (E. Pullen), Glenholt (F. Pierce), Inquisitive Bert (W. Deval). Off 4.2. (Winner trained by Templeman.)

Betting—"Sporting Chronicle"—7 to 4 agst. Hiram, 5 to 1 Polly Goodgame, 6 to 1 Fawn Way, 7 to 1 Paintbox, 8 to 1 GOLDEN ARCH, 10 to 1 each Charming and Synda-Pa, 100 to 8 Arc-en-Ciel, 100 to 6 any other. "Sporting Life"—Same.

Won by half a length; three-parts of a length. Polly Goodgames was fourth and Inquisitive Bert last.

4.30—APPRENTICES' PLATE of 100 sovs. Winner and second free. About 1½ m. and 200 yds.

Mr. G. Robinson's ch. f. REBECCA, by Bramble Twig—Esther Fan, 3, 5-7..............Packman 1
Mr. J. W. Stewart's BLINKING AGNES, 3, 5-6 ....H. Parker 2
Mr. F. Templeman's GOLDEN FIZZ, 5, 6-12 L. Read 3

Also ran—Toy Bell (W. Peel), Final Wink (B. Cooksey), Selim the Grim (G. Stimson), Deskrie (G. Shearing). Off 4.31. (Winner trained by H. Smyth.)

Betting—"Sporting Chronicle"—11 to 10 agst. Toy Bell, 4 to 1 each Golden Fizz and Selim the Grim, 8 to 1 REBECCA, 10 to 1 Final Wink, 100 to 7 any other. "Sporting Life"—Same.

Won by a length; same. Final Wink was fourth and Deskrie last.

TO-DAY'S SELECTIONS.

The principal interest to-day at Bath will centre in the Grosvenor Handicap, the whole of the entries for which are on the scene of action. Pride of place in the handicap is held by Ceteb, who has not run in public for a couple of months, but if Moreton has got him to his liking he is certain to take a deal of beating. Aim High was left in this race in preference to the Dodington Handicap, but he appears to have been weighted well up to his best form. King's Oven should run prominently, but recent running points to the chance of Lewendon. Selections:—

All-Aged Selling—**Perle D'Or.**
Stand Selling—**Red Ronald.**
Grenville Plate—**Missing Gem.**
Grosvenor Handicap—**Lewendon.***
Dodington Handicap—**Thistabel.**
Monument Plate—**Make and Break.**

TO-DAY'S DOUBLE.

Pleasant Thoughts (Stockton) and **Lewendon** (Bath).

2.0—ALL-AGED SELLING PLATE of 200 sovs. 5 f.

	Age	st.	lb.
HIRAM (Maj. Bardwell) ....F. Hartigan	4	9	0
CHARMING (Mr. A. Woodford) ..Saxby	6	9	0
RUN OUT (Mr. A. Jones) ......Turner	5	8	11
FONTAINVILLE (Mr. Moore) ......Gilbert	4	8	11
POLYPODIUM (Mr. D. Gant) ..P. Lowe	3	8	6
BEEDIVINE (Mr. S. Wootton) ......Owner	2	6	13
PERLE D'OR (Mr. White) ....O'Sullivan	2	6	13
(The above have arrived.)			
BELSIZE (Mr. P. Shaw) ....G. Bennett	a	9	0
BRIAN BOY (Ld. W. de Broke) Turner	4	9	0
BLACK PRINCE (Ld. Barnby) Campbell	6	8	11
SOULECTOR (Mr. Bowbeer) ......Whalley	4	8	11
ORENZA (Mr. D. Gant) ......P. Lowe	4	8	11
GAVIN (Mr. C. Green) ......O'Sullivan	4	8	11
WINDOVER (Mr. O. Smith) ......MacColl	5	8	11
PURLER (Mr. F. Templeman) ......Owner	4	8	11
SWAGMAN (Mr. S. Wootton) ......Owner	4	8	11
VIE (Mr. G. Ruddle) ......Allan	3	8	9
BIG BEN (Mr. J. Simmonds) ......Rayson	3	8	6
THAXTED (Mr. Farquharson) ..Owner	2	6	13
NIGHT WATCH (Mr. E. de Mestre) Owner	2	6	13

2.30—STAND SELLING PLATE of 250 sovs. 1½ m. 200 yds.

	Age.	st.	lb.
THEOLOGY (Mr. J. Cramsie)......Owner	5	9	0
BLUE PAPER (Mr. F. Hartigan) Owner	4	9	0
SCALIGER (Mrs. E. Brock)...G. Bennett	6	8	7
RED RONALD (Mrs. M. G. A. Davis) J. Scott	a	8	4
MARY D. G., by Sonning (Mr. M. G. Hartigan) ......Owner	3	8	1
DESKRIE (Mr. F. Morley) M. Hartigan	3	7	8
SIGNALLER (Mr. E. C. B. Portman) Farquharson	3	7	8
FRUCTIDOR (Mr. W. B. Purefoy) E. Harper	3	7	8
(The above have arrived.)			
ERMINTRUDE (Mr. Brueton) C. Piggott	5	9	0
COUNTER PROPOSITION (Mrs. C. Stevens) ......C. Stevens	5	9	0
LUNATOI (Mr. G. Hooper) ......Larkin	4	9	0
DANDY DESMOND (Mrs. E. Brock) G. Bennett	5	8	7
DRIVE ON (Capt. A. F. Sadler) ...Poole	a	8	7
PECCADILLO (Mr. Hoboken) ......Knel	6	8	4
TAMASHA (Lord Queenborough) G. Bennett	5	8	4
CAPPAWHITE (Mr. H. Rich) ...Cundell	5	8	4
PRIOR'S HILL (Lt.-Col. Johnson) Owner	3	8	1

3.0—GRENVILLE MAIDEN PLATE of 150 sovs. Two-year-olds. Maidens at closing. Second receives 10 sovs. 5 f.

	st.	lb.
MISSING GEM (Maj. McCalmont)...Persse	9	0
HAPPY BEN (Mr. J. Rickards, jun.) M. Hartigan	9	0
PANACHE C., by Tantalion (Col. M. Hughes) ......Davies-Scourfield	9	0
GALA NIGHT (Mrs. A. Bendir)...E. Harper	8	11
BAGUETTE F., by Sunbright (Mr. C. E. Howard) ......Morris	8	11
PRECIOUS GEM (Mr. N. Murphy) F. Hartigan	8	11
CARTE (Mr. H. Shaw) ......Moreton	8	11
GOLDEN WHIN (Mr. G. D. Smith) W. Waugh	8	11
HEREWITH (Mr. P. Whitaker) ......Owner	8	11
LADY BICKLEY (Mr. C. E. Wylam) Braime	8	11
(The above have arrived.)		
MONASTERY GARDEN (Mr. B. Warner) Anthony	9	12
TOREADOR (Mr. E. L. Short) ......Nugent	9	12
ELEGANT SUN (Mr. H. Collins) L. Collins	9	0
CHERIMOYA C., by Abbots Trace (Lord Dewar) ......F. Darling	9	0
COMPTON'S PRIDE (Mr. C. Hamilton) Whalley	9	0
SONNY (Mrs. Hartigan)......M. Hartigan	9	0
EXALT (Mr. D. M. Gant)......P. Lowe	9	0
DOVEDALE (Sir Hedworth Meux)...Persse	9	0
SHIREEN C., by Torelore (Sir H. Meux) Persse	9	0
SKATER (Maj. Morris)......Owner	9	0
PROFESSOR (Mr. C. J. Phillips) Gooch	9	0
BOY BRIAN (Mr. B. Runciman)......Owner	9	0
WILLINDA C., by Sunbright (Mr. C. E. Howard) ......Morris	9	0
SHIRAZ (Sir Charles Hyde) ......Scobie	9	0
CLAVERHOUSE (Lord Woolavington) F. Darling	9	0
EDOUARD (Mrs. S. Whitburn) ......Cottrill	9	0
SPOT BARRED (Miss L. Sturt)...Whitaker	9	0
CORINTH (Mr. H. R. Broughton) O. Bell	8	11
COUNT MEROC (Mr. C. S. Clarke) Hastings	8	11
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MEDEOLA (Sir H. Cunliffe-Owen) O. Bell	8	11
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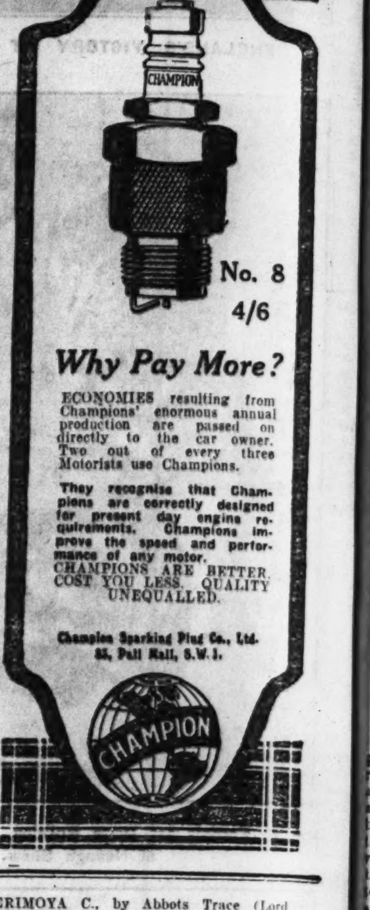

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KING'S OVEN (Mr. Singer) ...D.-Scourfield	8	4
JOHN CLANCHY (Mrs. Hartigan) M. Hartigan	8	1
ESCA (Mr. F. Smith)......Braime	8	1
KNICKER BOCKER (Mr. Wootton) Owner	8	1
SAPPHO (Lady J. Douglas)......Taylor	7	13
MORGANTE (Mr. A. P. Cunliffe) ...Owner	7	6
LEWENDON (Mr. C. Howard) ......Morris	7	3
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POET (Lord Astor) ......Taylor	3	8	9
ROCKMINSTER (Lady Garioch) (7lb. ex.) ......C. Leader	3	8	9
MAKE AND BREAK (Mr. F. Hoole) Braime	4	8	6
THISTABEL (Mrs. T. Carthew) Wootton	5	8	5
TINANZA (Mrs. Bullock) ......Bullock	4	8	4
WATCHFUL (Mr. T. Hogg) ......Owner	3	8	2
ARIADNE (Mr. F. Gretton) ......Moreton	4	7	10
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MAY B (Mr. R. de Reuter) ......Owner	5	7	7
LITTLE EVA'S ROSE (Mr. O'Sullivan) Owner	3	7	3
TRUE KNIGHT (Mrs. C. Jones) Rimell	a	7	2
GARRON TOWER II. (Mr. E. Merrell) Owner	4	7	0
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BALLYRAG (Mrs. C. Stevens) ...Stevens	a	7	12
SANTA-MARIA (Mr. Wilmot) ......Gwilt	4	7	11
PREDIAL (Mrs. Larkin) ......Larkin	a	7	9
BIG BLACK BOY (Mrs. C. Stevens) Stevens	4	7	9
WALTHAM ABBEY (Mrs. M. Bailey) Saxby	a	7	6
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COURTSHIP (Mr. F. T. Halse) Nugent	3	8	1
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LORDSHIP (Mr. T. Rintoul)......Owner	5	9	0
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CONSTANTIUS (Sir H. Meux) ...Persse	4	8	11
WILD DUCK (Mr. H. Stewart) ...Powell	4	8	11
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SIR SYDNEY (Mr. D. M. Gant) P. Lowe	3	8	4
PALATINE PRINCE (Mrs. F. N. Neville) J. Cannon	3	8	4
FLANNIGAN'S GHOST (Mr. H. Shaw) Moreton	3	8	4
OLD HERKER (Sir W. Chilcott) MacColl	3	8	3
LONG LEAVE (Mr. A. P. Cunliffe) Owner	3	8	3
CARAMOND (Mrs. A. I. Smith) O'Sullivan	3	8	1
FLAXEN BOY (Mr. R. R. Jeffrey) Higgs	3	8	1
WINGS OF THE WIND (Mr. Neilson) Walls	3	8	1
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LOW SCORING AT RATHMINES.

Phœnix and Civil Service played a club match on the Phœnix ground yesterday on a good batting wicket, the game resulting in an exciting finish and a win for Phœnix by five wickets just on time. Phœnix fielded a strong side, but the visitors were rather weakly represented. The home side won the toss, but sent Civil Service in. The play was tame at the start, and four wickets were down for 26. G. S. Nowlan and W. Fitzgerald then made a fine stand for the fifth wicket, which fell at 104, having put on 78 runs, when Nowlan was dismissed for a steady 21, and Fitzgerald, who followed immediately, had ten 4's in his hard-hit 56. The innings closed at 149. T. H. H. Dixon took seven wickets for 30 runs. Left with 150 to get to win in an hour, Phœnix set about their task resolutely, J. W. F. Crawfurd taking 22 off one over from Nowlan (a 6 and four 4's), 50 going up after a quarter of an hour. At 55 de Burgh was bowled by Bales, and at 60, scored in twenty minutes, the same bowler took the wicket of Crawfurd, who had a 6, five 4's and a 3 in his lively 35. With T. G. McVeagh and D. R. Pigot together, 80 came after half an hour's batting, and the century after forty minutes. It was then a race for runs against time, but 20 runs were wanted when E. L. Kidd joined Pigot, with ten minutes to go. Kidd lifted Nowlan overhead for 6, took a 3 and two singles off the next three balls, and then Pigot made the winning hit by sending Nowlan into the pavilion for 4 two minutes before time. Boucher took two wickets for 24 and Bales two for 38. Pigot was not out with a hard-hit 32 (6 and five 4's), and Kidd got 18.

Scoring ruled low yesterday at Rathmines, where an XI. of Leinster, playing the Dublin Markets XI., won by 25 runs. Batting first, the Markets XI., against the bowling of R. D. Lambert, in a little over an hour were dismissed for 51. Lambert had the good analysis of three wickets for 22 runs. Leinster made a bad start, losing four wickets for 6 runs, but E. A. Ingram and G. Browne came to the rescue, and the visitors' total was passed for the loss of seven wickets. Ingram batted splendidly, and when the innings closed for 76 he was unbeaten with 30. Harrington bowled best for the losers, taking four wickets for 19 runs.

FINE INNINGS BY SEYMOUR.

SURREY'S TIMELY. RECOVERY.

At Lord's yesterday Seymour played a great innings on a pitch, which, following rain, gave the Middlesex bowlers some assistance, being mainly instrumental in Kent affecting a smart recovery after the opening batsmen had left for 22 runs. Rain delayed the start a quarter of an hour, and prevented play between 1 and 3 o'clock, so that when immediately on resuming Lee took a low catch extremely well at cover, off a hard drive by Hardinge, Kent were in a bad way. Enterprising cricket by Seymour and J. L. Bryan, who were helped by the poor length bowling of the home county, weakened by the continued absence of Hearne and Durston, carried Kent through a trying period, 78 runs being added by resourceful batting. J. L. Bryan put plenty of power behind his on-side strokes, while Seymour, who remained until the total reached 173, showed marked skill in placing the ball to leg. At the wicket two hours and a quarter without a mistake of any kind, Seymour played with splendid judgment, pushing the score along quickly when the bowlers appeared likely to get on top, and later batting steadily to consolidate the position. G. J. Bryan hit lustily to add 39 with Seymour, whose dismissal was brought about by another beautiful low catch by Lee in the slips, while during the last seventy minutes Knott and Collins put on a valuable 53, so that Kent, by steady methods, built up the useful total of 226 for five wickets.

Several heavy showers delayed the commencement of the match between Notts and Worcestershire at Trent Bridge until half-past three o'clock, and restricted play to barely three hours. Winning the toss, the visitors, who introduced W. L. Shorting for H. L. Higgins, secured first innings on a good hard wicket, which had been covered in its entirety, and making an excellent recovery after losing their opening pair of batsmen for 14, they accomplished a capital performance in scoring 193 for the loss of seven wickets.

In making a wonderful recovery at Edgbaston, after a most disastrous start, Surrey owed everything to Jardine. Going in third wicket down, when the total was only 14, the old Oxonian was last out. The earlier batsmen were evidently beaten by the fast wicket. It was Jardine and Fender who made the first stand, adding 40 in thirty minutes, but when the captain left half the side was out for 66. At this point Wyatt had taken four wickets at a cost of 30 runs. Then came a grand partnership between Jardine and Peach, which yielded 110 in seventy minutes. Peach played crisply, although overshadowed by his partner, and Lockton helped to put on 41 for the eighth wicket. Next came the brightest period in the game, when Jardine and Brooks added 107 in just under an hour. At the wicket three hours and twenty-five minutes, Jardine gave only one chance, when 115. Warwickshire had twenty-five minutes batting, and losing Wyatt's wicket, finished up 308 in arrears.

The cricket at Brighton did not prove very interesting to watch, the Lancashire batsmen generally following a policy of care. For all that the end of the day found the visitors none too well placed with three men out for 114. Driving rain interrupted the game within ten minutes of the start, and nothing more could be done until twenty minutes past three o'clock, play going on until seven o'clock. Lancashire thus had three and a half hours' batting.

The Swansea wicket, with its sandy foundation, maintained its reputation of being helpful to bowlers, when twenty-seven wickets fell for 281 runs in the match between Glamorgan and Gloster. Glamorgan finished up with the advantage, for at the close Gloster, with three wickets intact, were only 41 runs on. Heavy rain preceded play, and with the subsequent sunshine the pitch always played difficult. Still, when they won the toss Gloster decided to bat, and in an hour and forty-five minutes were dismissed for 89. Mercer, who was bowling off breaks, was responsible for the collapse, and his analysis of 8 for 39 represented his best performance in first-class cricket. The only batsmen to face the attack with any confidence were Hedges and Sinfield, who made half the score between them. Glamorgan did little better at the wicket, their last six wickets falling for 28 runs, and the bowlers maintained such a mastery that when Gloucestershire went in a second time they again lost seven wickets for 72 runs. Clay this time did the damage, his four wickets so far being secured at a cost of less than three runs apiece.

Rain fell so heavily at Harrogate that when the start should have been made in the return match between Yorkshire and Hampshire pools of water were on the pitch. Indeed, conditions were so bad that as early as a quarter past 12 o'clock it was decided to give up all hope of cricket for the day.

Heavy rain on a ground already soaked rendered the start in the Derbyshire v. Northamptonshire match at Chesterfield impossible, a decision at half-past twelve o'clock being arrived at to give up all idea of cricket for the day.

PHŒNIX V. CIVIL SERVICE.

In Phœnix Park. Phœnix won by 5 wickets. Score:—

CIVIL SERVICE.

Francis b Greene	18
T. Moran l.b.w. b Allen	1
M. Hanrahan b T. H. Dixon	0
H. Bolton b T. H. Dixon	1
S. Nowlan c M'Auley b T. H. Dixon	21
Fitzgerald l.b.w. b T. H. Dixon	56
J. Boucher c M'Veagh b T. H. Dixon	5
J. J. Jones b T. H. Dixon	5
J. J. Blake not out	19
J. V. Bales b Crawfurd	5
H. F. Kelly b T. H. Dixon	0
Extras	18
Total	149

Bowling—T. H. Dixon, 7 for 30; Allen, 1 for 5; M'Auley, 0 for 14; Greene 1 for 16; Kidd, 0 for 15; P. Dixon, 0 for 17; Crawfurd, 1 for 24.

PHŒNIX.

de Burgh b Bales	18
W. F. Crawfurd b Bales	35
R. Pigot not out	44
G. M'Veagh c Francis b Boucher	32
P. O'M. Dixon b Boucher	3
E. L. Kidd run out	18
Extras	8
Total (5 wkts.)	157

Did not bat—T. H. Dixon, J. R. Greene, N. M'Auley, W. Allen, and J. W. Fitzgerald.

Bowling—Bales, 2 for 38; Bolton, 0 for 34; Nowlan, 0 for 37; Fitzgerald, 0 for 16; Boucher, for 34.

LEINSTER A V. MARKETS XI.

At Rathmines. Leinster won by 25 runs. Score:—

DUBLIN MARKETS XI.

A. B. Wilkinson b Penny	10
F. O'Rourke b Penny	2
J. S. Cawley b R. D. Lambert	4
J. Leonard l.b.w. b R. D. Lambert	5
J. O'Grady b R. D. Lambert	3
T. Satchwell run out	7
W. B. Bates b Ingram	0
C. Wylie not out	4
W. Harrington b Ingram	15
T. Cosgrave run out	0
J. Walsh b H. Lambert	0
Extra	1
Total	51

LEINSTER.

A. E. Smith b Harrington	0
R. D. Joynt c Cawley b Bates	1
P. S. Hession b Bates	3
E. A. Ingram not out	30
R. T. Sheppard b Bates	0
G. Browne c Cawley b Harrington	15
G. E. Guise-Brown c Satchwell b Bates	5
H. Lambert b Harrington	2
R. L. Davidson b Satchwell	9
R. D. Lambert l.b.w. b Harrington	1
A. R. Penny c and b Satchwell	3
Extras	7
Total	76

MIDDLESEX V. KENT.

At Lord's. Score:—

KENT—First Innings.

Hardinge c Lee b Powell	10
Ashdown c Nunn b Enthoven	3
J. L. Bryan b Paine	39
Seymour c Lee b Powell	82
G. J. Bryan c Haig	23
C. H. Knott not out	44
Collins not out	14
Extras	11
Total (5 wkts.)	226

To bat—A. Freeman, C. S. Marriott, Hubble, and Beslee.

Middlesex—F. T. Mann, H. L. Dales, J. A. Nunn, H. J. Enthoven, E. T. Killick, G. E. V. Crutchley, N. Haig, H. W. Lee, Murrell, Paine, and Powell.

NOTTS V. WORCESTERSHIRE.

At Nottingham. Score:—

WORCESTERSHIRE—First Innings.

M. F. S. Jewell b S. Staples	5
R. H. Williams b Barratt	3
Wright l.b.w. b Richmond	34
Fox st Lilley b Flint	10
M. K. Foster c Lilley b A. Staples	84
Tarbox c Lilley b Richmond	3
Bowles l.b.w. b Richmond	8
W. L. Shorting not out	16
Root not out	17
Extras	13
Total (7 wkts.)	193

To bat—Wilson and Rogers.

Notts—A. W. Carr, G. Gunn, Whysall, S. Staples, Payton, Flint, Barratt, Richmond, Walker, Lilley, and A. Staples.

WARWICKSHIRE V. SURREY.

At Birmingham. Score:—

SURREY—First Innings.

Sandham c Parsons b Wyatt	9
Gregory l.b.w b Wyatt	0
Ducat b Wyatt	0
Shepherd b Calthorpe	6
D. R. Jardine b Quaife	167
P. G. H. Fender c Fiddian-Green b Wyatt	36
E. R. T. Holmes b Mayer	0
Peach c Parsons b Calthorpe	60
J. H. Lockton c Calthorpe b Wyatt	20
Brooks c Bates b Fox	21
Fenley not out	0
Extras	9
Total	328

Bowling.—First Innings—Wyatt, 5 for 87; Calthorpe, 2 for 57; Mayer, 1 for 67; Quaife, 1 for 53; Fox, 1 for 38; Santall, 0 for 17.

WARWICKSHIRE—First Innings.

Kilner not out	9
R. E. S. Wyatt b Holmes	2
Bates not out	4
Extras	5
Total (1 wkt.)	20

To bat—Hon. F. S. G. Calthorpe, C. A. Fiddian-Green, Quaife, Parsons, Santall, Smith, Fox, and Mayer.

SUSSEX V. LANCASHIRE.

At Brighton. Score:—

LANCASHIRE—First Innings.

Makepeace st Cornford b Bowley	32
Hallows l.b.w. b A. E. Gilligan	25
Watson not out	26
Major L. Green st Cornford b Bowley	1
Iddon not out	18
Extras	12
Total (3 wkts.)	114

To bat—P. T. Eckersley, Sibbles, Macdonald, Woolley, R. Tyldesley, and Duckworth.

Sussex—A. E. R. Gilligan, L. Williams, C. H. Gibson, R. L. Holdsworth, Rev. F. B. R. Browne, K. S. Duleepsinhji, Bowley, J. Parks, Cox, Cook, and Cornford.

GLAMORGAN V. GLOUCESTERSHIRE.

At Swansea. Score:—

GLOUCESTERSHIRE.

First Innings.		Second Innings.	
Lt.-Col. D. C. Robinson b Mercer	0	c Gemmell b Clay	20
Dipper l.b.w. b Arnott	2	c Sullivan b Arnott	0
Smith b Mercer	6	st Sullivan b Ryan	5
L. P. Hedges b Mercer	33	c Pinch b Clay	11
Sinfield l.b.w. b Mercer	15	c Bates b Clay	9
M. Hunt b Mercer	7	b Ryan	0
Bloodworth b Mercer	0	not out	3
Parker b Mercer	0	c Sullivan b Clay	9
G. A. Wedel c and b Ryan	7	not out	4
Bessant not out	5		
Mills b Mercer	7		
Extras	7	Extras	11
Total	89	Total (7 wkts.)	72

Bowling.—First Innings—Mercer, 8 for 39; Arnott, 1 for 16; Ryan, 1 for 27.

GLAMORGAN—First Innings.

Bates c Sinfield b Parker	16
Bell c Hunt b Mills	13
W. N. Gemmill hit wkt. b Parker	2
M. J. Turnbull st Smith b Parker	34
C. F. Walters c Wedel b Sinfield	22
F. B. Pinch b Parker	5
J. C. Clay b Sinfield	0
T. Arnott b Parker	0
Mercer not out	15
Sullivan b Mills	0
Ryan l.b.w. b Mills	0
Extras	13
Total	120

Bowling.—First Innings—Parker, 5 for 48; Mills, 3 for 34; Wedel, 0 for 12; Sinfield, 2 for 13.

LEINSTER SCHOOLBOYS v. CLONTARF SCHOOLBOYS.

This match was played at Rathmines and resulted in a win for Leinster by 164 runs. E. Ingram (36 not out and 55 not out) and M. D. Alison (42) batted well for Leinster against the bowling of Dillon and Ingram. Clontarf fared badly. T. Nixon (22 not out) did best for Clontarf. Dillon took 11 wickets in the match (4 for 20 and 7 for 1), and Ingram 4 for 22 and 2 for 0. Dunne bowled best for Clontarf. Score:—

	1st Inns.	2nd Inns.
Leinster	73	149
Clontarf	54	4

LAWN TENNIS.

GREYSTONES OPEN TOURNAMENT.

For the third day in succession broken weather interfered with the Greystones Open Tournament. Heavy rain during the night made for slow courts, and a couple of heavy showers while play was in progress did not improve matters. A number of matches had to be left unfinished, and these will be continued to-day at 10.30 a.m.

In consequence of the numerous stoppages the programme is not as well advanced as it should be in mid-week, and competitors are requested to assist the management by observing strict punctuality. Details:—

MEN'S OPEN SINGLES.
First Round.

R. R. Faris beat F. K. Patterson—6-3, 6-4.
A. E. Belford beat R. R. Figgis—6-3, 6-1.

WOMEN'S OPEN SINGLES.
Second Round.

Miss K. Wallis w.o., Mrs. J. Williams scr.
Mrs. Rounds beat Mrs. F. Cashel—4-6, 6-2, 6-2.
Miss V. Foxall w.o., Miss H. Creswell scr.
Miss N. Stoker beat Miss F. Foxall—6-2, 6-2.
Miss M. Chambers w.o., Mrs. J. L. Morgan scr.

OPEN MIXED DOUBLES.
Second Round.

G. Ball-Greene and Mrs. Cashel w.o., V. St. G. Vaughan and Miss D. Longworth-Dames scr.

MEN'S HANDICAP SINGLES.
First Round.

D. G. Smyllie (scr.) w.o., V. St. G. Vaughan scr.; R. R. Maris (minus 30) beat A. P. Huet (2)—6-1, 6-3.

Second Round.

V. E. Williams (1) beat D. Fitzgerald (5)—6-2, 6-2; R. R. Woods (3) w.o., D. G. Smyllie scr.

WOMEN'S HANDICAP SINGLES.
Second Round.

Miss H. Wilson (5) beat Mrs. Moore Bennett (15.3)—6-1, 6-4; Miss P. Wallis (minus 15.4) beat Miss S. Scally (3)—6-3, 6-0; Miss G. Kinnear (minus 2) beat Miss K. Huet (15)—6-2, 6-2.

Third Round.

Miss D. Oulton (3) beat Miss N. Duncan (6)—6-4, 1-6, 6-1.

MEN'S HANDICAP DOUBLES.
Second Round.

C. S. Gunning and H. C. Boyd (5) beat R. Figgis and W. Jameson (2)—6-0, 6-3; R. Faris and Colonel Bowen (minus 15.3) beat General Rawson and E. Dickinson (scr.)—7-5, 7-5; A. Langan and — Gallagher w.o., D. G. and R. M. Smyllie scr.; G. Oulton and A. D. Pringle (2) beat Major Bredin and A. Belford (1)—7-5, 6-4; A. Huet and C. Hudson (scr.) w.o., M. Sugden and D. A. Wallis (scr.) scr.; T. A. Purefoy and C. F. Martin (minus 15.4) beat G. Ball-Greene and J. Faris (minus 30)—6-3, 7-9, 6-3; A. S. Jeffares and F. E. Walker (minus 4) beat R. Woods and G. Dockeray (2)—6-8, 7-5, 6-2.

TO-DAY'S PROGRAMME.

10.30 a.m.—Huet and Miss Stoker v. Bowen and Miss P. Wallis; N. and Miss Kinnear v. Moorhead and Mrs. Rounds; Dickinson and Miss Oulton v. Ball Greene and Miss Owen; D. and Miss R. Wallis v. M'Dermott and Mrs. Comerford; Capt. and Mrs. Furney v. Col. and Mrs. Faris.

11.30 a.m.—Woods and Miss Crawley v. Gunning and Mrs. Bennett; Figgis and Miss Boyd v. General Rawson and Miss Oulton; Miss H. M. Cresswell v. Miss F. Foxall; Miss Weldon v. Miss Fair or Miss Hartly; Miss Holmes Wilson v. Miss P. Boyd.

12.30 p.m.—Jeffares v. J. Faris; Walker v. R. Faris; Miss P. Wallis v. Miss Weldon; Miss N. Oulton v. Miss Stoker; Miss A. Cresswell v. Mrs. Rounds.

1.30 p.m.—Miss Kinnear v. Miss M. Wilson.
3.30 p.m.—Miss H. Wilson v. Miss P. Wallis.

All unfinished matches to be resumed at 10.30 a.m. All competitors left in to be on ground at 1.30 p.m.

MAYFIELD L.T.C.—"At home" on Saturday, 21st, 3 p.m.

BOXING.

THE DEMPSEY-TUNNEY FIGHT.

There is every prospect of litigation in connection with the fight between Jack Dempsey and Gene Tunney next month for the world's heavyweight championship, if the decision to hold it in New York is proceeded with, as Mr. Tex Rickard declares it will be. The Licence Committee of the New York State Commission has accepted the boxers, but the duties of the Committee are limited to the examination of such matters as the physical fitness of the contestants. It is expected that this opinion will be the basis of the court proceedings to compel the authorities to sanction the fight.

INTERNATIONAL CONTEST ARRANGED.

A twenty-rounds contest for the European Flyweight Championship and a purse of £1,500 has been arranged between Elkey Clark (Glasgow) and Francois Morachinni (France), to take place at the Royal Albert Hall, London, on October 7th.

MOTOR CYCLING.

SIX DAYS' TRIAL.

BRITAIN LEADS.

After a day of very mixed weather, beginning in a downpour of rain, at Buxton, and a deluge on the Moor, more than one half of the road work in connection with the International Trial, concluded at Buxton last evening. There have been several additional retirements owing to the enormous strain to which the machines have been subjected, but so far as the International Trophy is concerned, England dominates, with two teams still complete.

The team of British ladies, Miss Cottle, Mrs. MacLean and Miss Foley, lead in the International Vase competition, in which foreign riders may compete on machines manufactured in other than the home countries. Between them they have lost only nine marks, while the male British team is second and Germany third.

GOLF.

ONE THOUSAND GUINEAS TOURNAMENT.

GREENS UNDER WATER.

The proceedings in the concluding half of the qualifying competition, on the Moortown Club's course, Leeds, yesterday, to select thirty-two for the match play stages of the *Yorkshire Evening News* 1,000 Guineas Tournament, contained many remarkable happenings. One was the failure of George Duncan. He had been fairly favourably placed with a round of 73, but yesterday his golf was not characterised by steadiness, and the result was that he took 79, which put him well out of all reckoning. In the early part of the day's play there was considerable delay, owing to many of the greens being partially under water, and so bad was the state of affairs that new holes had to be cut in many instances. The first happening of note was the feat of Havers in equalling Compston's record of 69 made on Tuesday, and shortly afterwards H. Kidd, the Wiltshire professional, equalled Havers' performance. In the meantime Abe Mitchell was an interested spectator of events, and in the afternoon O. Sanderson (West Bradford) broke the standing record by returning a score of 68. He was out in 34, and it is noteworthy that he only exceeded four strokes on three occasions during the eighteen holes.

Havers and Sanderson tied for first place in the qualifying competition with totals of 141, and Compston, who led the field on the first day, took 73, and tied with C. Whitcombe at 142 for the next position. Among those who passed into the match play stages were the former open champions, Alec Herd and Ted Ray, while among the failures were Len Holland, last year's first prize winner, and Harry Vardon.

The totals of those who qualified were:—

141—A. G. Havers (Coombe Hill), A. Sanderson (West Bradford).
142—C. A. Whitcombe (Crews Hill), A. Compston (Unattached).
144—Arthur Mitchell (Bexhill).
145—A. R. Wheildon (Moseley), T. B. Jolly (Moortown), H. Kidd (Wiltshire), H. Cotton (Langley Park).
146—George Gadd (Roehampton), E. P. F. Weston (Western Park), G. M. Turner (Guildford).
147—L. Herrington (Abbeydale), Alex Herd (Moor Park), M. Daragon (Tooting Bec).
148—T. Barber (Cavendish Buxton), W. B. Smith (Hadley Wood), E. R. Whitcombe (Meyrick Park), H. Twine (Ashford Manor), W. Bee (Leasowe), Tom Williamson (Notts).
149—B. S. Weastell (Colwyn Bay), F. Robson (Cooden Beach), H. Wooliscroft (Buxton), W. H. Davis (Prenton), E. Ray (Oxhey), J. Bradbeer (Porters Park).

The following tied for the last five places with 150, and they re-played over eighteen holes:—A. Isherwood (Warrington), J. Scarth (Bolton), H. Crapper (Harrogate), W. Large (Fulwood Park), MOSES O'NEILL (Wrekin), T. Green (Copt Heath), H. C. Jolly (Foxgrove), J. W. Gaudin (Alwoodley).

As a result of the replay over eighteen holes, the following occupied the remaining five places:—O'Neill 71, Crapper 73, Green 75, Gaudin 75, and Scarth 76. Jolly took 77, Large 78 and Isherwood 78.

The draw for the first round of the match stages is:—E. R. Whitcombe v. Havers; Cotton v. George Gadd; Daragon v. Herd; Barber v. Harrington; Robson v. Weston; Mitchell v. H. Twine; C. Whitcombe v. Smith; Davies v. Scarth; Wheildon v. Bradbeer; Kidd v. G. Turner; Green v. Sanderon; T. B. Jolly v. Ray; Compston v. Weastell; Bee v. Williamson; Gaudin v. Crapper; O'Neill v. Wooliscroft.

ULSTER PROFESSIONALS AT HOLYWOOD.

LEO WALLACE QUALIFIES.

In the Irish Qualifying Sectional competition, at Holywood, County Down, yesterday, in connection with the Professional Golfers' Association—*News of the World*—£1,040 Tournament, L. Wallace (Unattached) passed into the competition proper with rounds of 72 and 71. Other leading totals were:—C. W. Pope (Fortwilliam), 144; S. Fairweather (Malone), 151; H. Hamill (Ormeau), 152, and G. Hamill (Bangor), 152.

CLUB NOTICES AND REPORTS.

THE ISLAND, MALAHIDE.—August 24—Children's competition. August 25—Special competition, 9 holes, strokes. Ladies' Branch—Monthly medal, strokes, on Wednesday, 25th. Post entries. Arrange opponents.

MALAHIDE.—The Malahide Bogey Cup was won by W. McCormack, with 1 down.

HOWTH.—Ladies' Branch—Saturday next—Monthly medal. Draws off the 10.35 and 2 o'clock trains. Mrs. Whelan's prize—Won by Miss Gaffney, with 5 up.

WICKLOW.—"Solicitor's Cup"—Open competition, strokes. Winner, M. J. Butler (17), 68; W. C. Byrne (6), N. Haskins (17), and J. S. D. Kerr (5) tied for second with 70. N. Haskins won the play-off, 73. Monthly medal. Winner, W. C. Byrne, 68; second, J. J. Fallon, 71.

YACHTING.

THE WATER WAGS.

Last evening the Ballot Race was sailed and was won very easily by Coquette. But instead of Mr. G. B. Jones being at the tiller, as usual, her helmsman was Mr. A. E. Snow, and herein lies the particular interest in a race of the kind in which the class boats are balloted for, with the proviso always that no owner nor regular helmsman can steer his own boat. It so happened on this occasion that one of the best helmsmen drew one of the very best boats.

The wind was quite good from the West, the port course was sailed and the start made at 6.45 p.m. All went away very smartly on a free reach, Barbara leading Coquette, Mollie, Tomboy, Mary Kate, Phyllis, Pansy through the line. At the first mark, the jetty buoy, Coquette was in front, with Pansy and Phyllis next, then Mary Kate and Tomboy, and a reach fetched the outside hauling buoy. A turn to windward to the Coal Harbour buoy followed. They spread out a lot on it, and all found the puffs flying out of the Coal Harbour trying enough. The first round saw Coquette holding a good lead, with Mollie next and Pansy third. A tail was showing on the race at this stage. Some luffing between Mollie and Phyllis had let Pansy up; more luffing between Barbara and Tomboy cost both of them heavily at the outside hauling buoy, and particularly the last-named. Coquette was out on her own on the final; Phyllis and Pansy had a duel for second place, and Mollie and Barbara for fourth. Finish—

Helmsman.	H.	M.	S.
Coquette (winner)—Mr. A. E. Snow	7	30	31
Phyllis (2nd prize)—Mr. G. S. Shackleton	7	32	1
Pansy (3rd prize)—Mr. G. A. Newsom	7	32	13
Mollie—Mr. J. H. Stephens	7	33	7
Barbara—Mr. G. H. Jones	7	33	8
Mary Kate—Dr. G. Pugin Meldon	7	33	40
Tomboy—Mr. W. M. Curtis	7	34	57

LAUNCH OF NEW MOTOR CRUISER.

The Lady Claire, a motor cruiser, 30 feet over all by 8 feet 2 inches in beam, and fitted with a 20-24 h.p. Ailsa Craig motor, which has been built by Mr. M. Mahony, of Patrick street, Kingstown, to the order of Mr. J. E. Mills, was launched yesterday and placed on moorings in harbour. Her high topsides give her a rather striking appearance to the eye, but at the same time provide an impression of power and sea-worthiness. A very roomy craft, with good head-room, she has a large cockpit, a spacious engine room forward of that, and, more forward still, a handsomely-fitted saloon, with forecastle and lavatory accommodation in the bow.

HEAVY WEATHER FOR THE OCEAN YACHT RACE.

It is clear that the competitors which started the other day from Cowes in a race round the Fastnet and back then to Plymouth, a course of 600 miles, will have a moving tale to tell of their experiences off the South Coast of Ireland.

Our Queenstown Correspondent wires us last evening that Mr. H. P. J. Donegan's Gull, the only Irish competitor, has been forced to retire and to put into Cork Harbour for shelter that morning, having had a trying experience in the heavy South-Westerly gale which broke over the coast on Tuesday night. The Gull came in under trysail, her racing canvas having been torn to shreds in the gale, the high wind increasing in velocity during the night, the labouring and pounding of the yacht in the heavy seas causing her to spring a leak on the port side.

At the moment of telegraphing, the whereabouts of the other yachts is not known, and it is believed that some of them will have been forced along the Cork coast owing to the fierceness of the storm.

PIGS FOR SURREY.

BIGGEST SHIPMENT YET OF LARGE WHITE ULSTER.

The biggest single consignment of the Large White Ulster pig breed which has so far left Ireland was shipped from Derry yesterday afternoon to Heysham, *en route* for Surrey for local breeders.

The Large White Ulster Pig Society, which has its headquarters at Balmoral, has gained great distinction at home and across the water for the excellence of the stock.

Yesterday's consignment consisted of fifty pedigree pigs drawn from the best herds in Derry, Tyrone and Donegal, including fine specimens from Baronscourt, the property of the Ulster Governor, and from Kildery, County Donegal, the property of Colonel G. V. Hart, this year's President of the Large White Ulster Pig Society. Each pig was housed in a separate crate, and the work of loading was watched with great interest by a large crowd at the docks.

Mr. W. J. W. Osborne, J.P., a prominent County Derry breeder, informed a Press representative that the breed has been shown with great success on the other side of the Channel, notably in the Highlands and the South of England, where a branch of the Large White Pig Society has been formed. Wherever the breed has been sold there were always repeat orders. "There is a great future for the pedigree pig breed in Ulster," added Mr. Osborne.

NORTH TIPPERARY SHOW.

OVER 1,000 ENTRIES AT NENAGH.

EXHIBITS OF A HIGH STANDARD.

From Our Own Reporter.

The North Tipperary Agricultural Society held their fifty-second Show at Nenagh yesterday. The weather was fairly good, and the occasional showers which fell during the day did not interfere with the success of the occasion. The Nenagh Show, which started with 84 entries in 1874, has steadily progressed, and yesterday there was the "record" number of 1,060 entries in 158 classes, including live-stock, poultry and horticulture. In addition the Dog Show, which was a new feature, attracted nearly 600 entries. The general quality of the exhibits was up to a high standard. The judges remarked on the improvement of all classes of live-stock. The young horses were very promising, and in the five-year-old hunters some very fine animals were shown. There was a large increase in the cob and pony classes, which showed fifty entries.

There was also a large increase in the cattle section. Some very fine specimens of bulls were shown, including Mr. J. H. Wallace's Hereford bull Thornvale Endeavour, reserve champion at the Dublin Spring Show this year. Another fine exhibit was the shorthorn bull Paddy Clansman, shown by Mr. P. Flannery. The yearling heifers were a good lot both in numbers and quality. The Association paid special attention this year to the classes for registered dairy stock, and some very fine specimens of registered dairy cows were exhibited. The store cattle section also showed an increase in number and quality.

Brood mares to produce hunters were an extraordinarily good class. Among the young hunters it was difficult to decide the prize winners, and the two hunters placed first and second were excellent animals. The one weak class were the two-year-old colts or geldings. There were only four entries, and the quality was poor. The sheep were of a very good average, particularly the Lincolns exhibited by Miss Norris and Mr. William Gleeson. Pigs also were good all round.

The horticultural section was one of the best supported features of the Show. There was a big number of entries, and the exhibits were neatly staged and reflected credit on those concerned. The beet class was of great interest. Well supported, the exhibits drew from the judges, Messrs. T. A. Rudd and W. Coady, the opinion that the standard had improved at least 50 per cent. on last year.

Among those who acted as judges were Colonel Grattan Bellew, Captain T. Kennan, Messrs. M. Mitchell, J. Cullinane, Joseph O'Connor, N. T. Grene, James Raffan, E. Purcell, J. Doherty. Mr. A. E. Brandon acted as veterinary surgeon, and the hon. secretaries, Messrs. James O'Meara and James P. Cross, were assisted by a capable body of stewards, who contributed to the smooth working of the programme.

CUPS AND SPECIAL PRIZES.

Special Challenge Cup, presented by Mr. E. C. Winters, for the best colt, filly or gelding foaled in 1925, was won by Mr. James McCutcheon, Kilmore, Nenagh, with a brown filly sired by Vliko.

The French Memorial Cup for best colt, filly or gelding foaled in 1924, suitable for hunters or harness purposes, was won by Mr. William Dwyer, Main street, Tipperary, with Miss Rowland, a bay filly, sired by Rowland.

The Special Prize for the best yearling or two-year-old in the Show, the progeny of French Grey, was won by Mr. John Gleeson, Tulla, Capparoe, with a two-year-old bay colt. Mr. Maurice Leavey, Erinagh, Capparoe, was second with a two-year-old roan.

The Jubilee Memorial Perpetual Challenge Cup for the best hunter brood mare was won by Mr. J. H. Wallace, Belfield, Shinrone, with his seven-year-old brown mare, Mrs. Jiggs. Mr. James McCutcheon, Kilmore, Nenagh, was second with the aged chestnut mare, Peg Whip, and Mrs. Flannery, Kilruane, Nenagh, third.

OTHER AWARDS.

Best Colt or Gelding, foaled in 1925, suitable for hunting or harness.—1st prize, Mr. Michael Gleeson, Ballydrennan, Nenagh—Chestnut colt, bred by exhibitor; 2nd, Mr. Michael O'Donoghue, Lacken, Lutteragh; 3rd, Mr. Michael McGrath, Buraune, Templemore.

Best Filly, foaled in 1925, suitable for hunting or harness—1st prize, Mr. James McCutcheon, Kilmore, Nenagh; 2nd, Mr. Patrick Ryan, Curraghgass, Borrisoleigh; 3rd, Mr. Michael Bowe, Main street, Cloughjordan.

Best Colt, Gelding or Filly, foaled in 1925, sired by a stallion on the Department's Register for 1924.—1st prize, Mr. James McCutcheon, Nenagh; 2nd, Mr. Michael Gleeson, Ballydrennan, Nenagh.

Colt or Gelding, foaled in 1924, suitable for hunting or harness—1st prize, Mr. John J. Moylan, Rathnaleen, Nenagh; 2nd, Mr. John Gleeson, Tulla, Capparoe; 3rd, Mr. Thomas Keogh, The Ford, Ballinaclough.

Filly, foaled in 1924, suitable for hunting or harness.—1st prize, Mr. William Dwyer, Main street, Tipperary; 2nd, Mr. John Maher, Borrisbeg, Templemore; 3rd, Mr. James McCutcheon, Kilmore, Nenagh.

Best Gelding, foaled in 1923, suitable for hunting or harness.—1st prize, Mr. F. M. Coffey, Derrybawn, Nenagh; 2nd, Mr. James Corbett, Newtown, Nenagh; 3rd, Mr. James O'Grady, Castle street, Roscrea.

Best Filly, foaled in 1923, suitable for hunting or harness.—1st prize, Mr. Michael McGrath, Barnane, Templemore; 2nd, Mr. J. Powell, Ballycrinode, Nenagh; 3rd, Mr. J. Guilmartin, Grange, Borrisoleigh.

Foal, progeny of Jubilee Memorial Challenge Cup Class.—1st prize, Mr. James McCutcheon; 2nd, Mr. P. Carroll, Ballyanny; 3rd, Mr. M. T. Coffey, Derrybawn.

Agricultural Mare (not registered).—1st prize, Mr. John Moylan, Rathnaleen; 2nd, Mr. Denis Cleary, Lisatunny, Nenagh; 3rd, Mr. John Dillon, Tyone, Nenagh.

Colt or Filly, foaled in 1924, suitable for agricultural purposes.—1st prize, Mr. M. Loughnane, Ballinalick, Nenagh; 2nd, Mr. James McGrath, Clonmore, Ballymackey.

Colt or Filly, foaled in 1923, suitable for agricultural purposes.—1st prize, Mr. George Clarke, Knockane, Toomevara; 2nd, Mr. D. McNamara, Ruhena, Ogonnelloe.

SPECIAL CLASSES.

Registered Irish Draught Sire—1st prize, Mr. Robert Wallace, Summerhill, Borrisoleigh, with Irish Champion, grey stallion, sire Kildare, dam Fancy Polly; 2nd, Mr. John McNamara, Carhuna, Tomgraney, with Shannon Prince, six year old grey stallion, sire Prince Silver, dam Shannon Lass.

Registered Irish Draught Mare, 3 years and upwards—1st prize, Mr. P. J. Howard, Ennis; 2nd, Mr. Daniel Ryan, Garrymore, Shallee; 3rd, Mr. Nicholas Pounde, Bullock Park, Moneygall.

Foal, progeny of Irish Mare in Agricultural and Draught Classes—1st prize, Mr. John Dillon, Tyone; 2nd, Mr. William Harty, Knigh, Nenagh.

Special Prize for Best Colt or Filly sired by Gallio—1st prize, Mr. M. F. Coffey, Derrybawn; 2nd, Mr. W. Powell, Pearse street, Nenagh; 3rd, Mr. James McCutcheon.

HUNTERS.

Gelding or Filly, 4 years old, to carry 13 stone or over (trained or untrained)—1st, Mr. R. V. Kent, Borrisokane—Chestnut filly, sire The Baronet, bred by Count O'Byrne; 2nd, Mr. E. Grace, Blean, Toomevara.

Gelding or Filly, five years old and upwards (trained)—1st prize, Mr. James Hodgins, Ballymackey, Nenagh—Grey gelding, by Charles Edward; 2nd, Miss L. Seymour, Somerset House, Ballinasloe, with Amber, bay gelding by Green Emerald; 3rd, Mr. James Hodgins, with Zingane, chestnut mare, by Martin.

COBS AND PONIES.

Cob, to be ridden, 14 and not exceeding 15 hands—1st prize, Mr. M. Lyons, Barntick, Clarecastle; 2nd, Miss Meagher, Templemore; 3rd, Mr. Richard Dagg, Cudville, Nenagh.

Mare or Gelding, over 12 and under 14 hands—1st prize, Miss J. McGrath, Knigh, Nenagh; 2nd, Mr. John Kinsella, The Chalet, Nenagh; 3rd, Miss B. Burriss, Ollatrim House, Moneygall.

Pony, Mare or Gelding, 12 hands and under—1st prize, Mr. John Clerihan, Grange, Nenagh; 2nd, Mr. B. W. Abbott, Boherby, Birr; 3rd, Mrs. Rourke, Rathurles, Nenagh.

CATTLE CLASSES.

Shorthorn Bull, calved in 1925—1st prize, Mr. James Hodgins, Ballymackey, with Royal Renown.

Shorthorn Bull, calved in 1924 or prior—1st prize, Mr. P. Flannery, Sheave, Nenagh, with Paddy Clansman; 2nd, Mr. Thomas Mounsey, The Highlands, Nenagh, with Straffan's Orphan's Pride, 3rd, Mr. John Grace, Carbue, Nenagh, with Easter Monday.

Hereford Bull, calved in 1925—1st prize, Mr. Philip Kennedy, Newtown, Nenagh, with Tipperary Rover; 2nd, Mr. James P. Crosse, Norwood, Nenagh, with Baron Rowelston.

Hereford Bull, calved in 1924 or prior—1st prize, Mr. J. H. Wallace, Belfield, Shinrone, with Thornvale Endeavour; 2nd, Clerihan Bros., Kylera, Nenagh, with Randlestown Trickster; 3rd, Mr. Joseph O'Meara, Curragha, Lorrha, Birr, with Rio Grande.

Aberdeen Polled Angus Bull, calved in 1925—1st prize, Mr. T. H. Corry, Ballybritt House, Roscrea, with Saccolian; 2nd, Mr. Jeremiah Costello, Coolatogga, Borrisoleigh, with Garrykennedy Rover.

Aberdeen-Angus Bull, calved in 1924 or prior.—1st prize, Capt. T. Trench, Sopwell Hall, Cloughjordan, with Idol of Kilmullen; 2nd, Mr. S. O'G. Parker-Hutchinson, Castle Lough, Nenagh; 3rd, Mr. Thomas Mounsey, The Highlands, Nenagh, with Echo of Coolcower.

Half-bred Yearling of Shorthorn type.—1st prize, Mr. John O'Donohue, Patrickswell, Carrigatoher; 2nd, Mr. Roddy Minogue, Convent, Roscrea; 3rd, Mr. John Mounsey, Riverlawn, Nenagh.

Half-bred Bull of Shorthorn type, calved in 1924 or prior.—1st prize, Mr. Thomas Ryan, Gurteenabarna; 2nd, Mr. Henry Parr, Ivy Cottage, Ashmear, Roscrea; 3rd, Mr. Martin Ryan, Tyone, Nenagh.

Cow, suitable for dairy purposes.—1st prize, Mr. W. Hoare, Hillside, Birr; 2nd, Clerihan Bros., Kylera; 3rd, Mr. R. Spain, Moanfin, Nenagh.

Kerry or Kerry-Dexter Cow.—1st prize, Mr. John Mooney, Clareen, Birr; 2nd, Clerihan Bros.; 3rd, Capt. L. G. Toler, Beechwood, Nenagh.

Milch Cow, confined to holders of under 5 acres, labourers, herds, etc.—1st prize, Mr. John Mooney, Clareen; 2nd, Mr. James Grace, Dublin road, Nenagh.

Two-year-old Heifer of Dairy type.—1st prize, Mr. John Flannery, Kilmaire, Nenagh; 2nd, Mr. Rody Cleary, Knigh, Nenagh; 3rd, Mr. John Mounsey, Riverlawn.

Heifer of Dairy type, calved in 1925.—1st prize, Mr. John Grace, Carbue, Ballycommar; 2nd, Mr. Thomas Cleary, Ollatrim, Moneygall; 3rd, the Earl of Rosse, Killoen Farm, Birr.

Registered Dairy Bull, calved in 1925, pure or half bred.—1st prize, Mr. John O'Donohue, Patrickswell; 2nd, Mr. James Hodgins, Ballymackey; 3rd, Mr. John Mounsey, Riverlawn.

Registered Dairy Bull, calved in 1924 or prior, pure or half bred.—1st prize, Mr. William Hoare, Hillside, Birr; 2nd, Mr. Thomas Ryan, Gurteenabarna; 3rd, Mr. Gerald Flynn, Puckane, Nenagh.

Registered Dairy Cow.—1st prize, the Earl of Rosse; 2nd, ditto; 3rd, Mr. James O'Meara.

Registered Dairy Cow (half-bred), confined to members of Cow-Testing Associations in North Tipperary.—1st and 2nd prizes, the Earl of Rosse; 3rd, Mr. James O'Meara.

Perpetual Challenge Cup, presented by Capt. T. Graham Toler, for Registered Dairy Cow.—Won by Mr. James O'Meara, Mounpir.

PROGENY OF DAIRY COWS.

Heifer, calved in 1925.—1st prize, Mr. William Gleeson, Smithfield; 2nd, Mr. James O'Meara; 3rd, Mr. John Mounsey.

Registered Bull Calf, calved 1926.—1st prize, Mrs. Minogue; 2nd, Mrs. Minogue; 3rd, Mr. Wm. Gleeson, Smithfield.

Registered Heifer Calf, calved 1926.—1st prize, Mr. William Gleeson; 2nd, Mr. James O'Meara.

Bull or Bullock, calved 1926.—1st prize, the Earl of Rosse; 2nd and 3rd, Mr. Thomas Mounsey, The Highlands.

STORE CATTLE.

Heifer Calf, calved in 1926.—1st prize, Mr. R. Cleary, Knigh; 2nd, Mr. John Grace, Carbue; 3rd, Mrs. Browne, Central Hotel, Birr.

Special Prize for best Calf in Show.—Won by the Earl of Rosse.

Bullock, calved in 1925.—1st prize, Major E. H. Waller, Summerville, Nenagh; 2nd, Mr. Rody Spain; 3rd, Jones Bros., Nenagh.

Heifer born in 1925—1st prize, Mr. M. J. Telford, Birr; 2nd, Mr. Thos. Mounsey; 3rd, Mrs. Minogue.

Bullock, born in 1924, any breed or cross—1st prize, Mr. James O'Connor, Annsgrove, Roscrea; 2nd, Mr. S. O'G. Parker, Hutchinson.

Heifer, born in 1924, any breed or cross—1st prize, Mr. John Grace, Carbue; 2nd, Mr. S. O'G. Parker Hutchinson; 3rd, Mr. James O'Connor, Annsgrove.

SHEEP.

Ram, two-shear and over—1st prize, Miss A. H. Norris, Traverstown, Nenagh; 2nd, Mr. P. J. O'Dwyer, Carrigatoher.

Shearling Ram—1st prize, Miss A. H. Norris; 2nd, Mr. William Gleeson; 3rd, Mr. Thomas Mounsey.

Ram Lamb—1st and 2nd prizes, Miss A. H. Norris.

Three Shearling Ewes—1st prize, Mr. William Gleeson.

Pen of 3 Ewes having reared lambs this season—1st prize, Mr. Wm. Gleeson; 2nd, Mr. John Gleeson, The Fields, Nenagh; 3rd, Mr. Wm. Gleeson.

Short Wool Breeds—Ram, two shear and upwards—1st prize, Mr. J. Dillon, Tyone; 2nd, Mr. Jocelyn Waller, Prior Park, Nenagh; 3rd, Mr. J. P. Cross, Norwood, Nenagh.

Ram Lamb—1st prize, Mr. R. Wallace, Belfield.

Three Shearling Ewes—1st prize, Mr. Thomas Mounsey; 2nd, Mr. John Mounsey; 3rd, Mr. R. Wallace.

Pen of 3 Ewes having reared lambs this season—1st prize, Mr. R. Wallace; 2nd, Mr. J. P. Cross; 3rd, Mr. Thos. Mounsey.

Long Woolled Breeds—Shearling Ram—1st prize, Mr. L. O'Brien, Knockanure; 2nd, Mr. L. O'Brien; 3rd, Mr. T. Mounsey.

Ram Lamb—1st prize, Mr. L. O'Brien; 2nd, Mr. Denis Reidy, Sallypark, Latheraghy; 3rd, Mr. D. Reidy.

Two Shearling Ewes—1st prize, Mr. Wm. Harty, Knigh; 2nd, Mr. Rody Cleary, Knigh.

Pen of 2 Ewes having reared lambs this season—1st prize, Mr. Samuel Reid, Gortavalley; 2nd, Mr. Wm. Walsh, Tyone; 3rd, Mr. L. O'Brien.

Two Ewe Lambs—1st prize, Mr. L. O'Brien, Knockanure; 2nd, Clerihan Bros., Kylera; 3rd, Mr. M. Guilmartin, Grange.

Short-Woolled Breeds—Two Cross-bred Lambs—1st prize, Clerihan Bros.; 2nd, Capt. S. Graham Toler; 3rd, Mr. John Mounsey.

SWINE.

Large White Yorkshire Boar.—1st prize, Mr. Vincent Corcoran, Honeymount, Roscrea; 2nd, Mr. M. M'Mahon, Fintan Lalor street, Nenagh; 3rd, Mr. George Clarke, Knockane.

White Sow with Litter.—1st prize, Mr. V. Corcoran; 2nd, Mr. Jeremiah Corcoran, Summerhill; 3rd, Mr. Larry Richardson, Bulfin road, Nenagh.

White Sows in Young.—1st prize, Mr. V. Corcoran; 2nd, Mr. John Gleeson, M'Donogh street, Nenagh; 3rd, Mr. Rody Spain.

Best Bacon Pig, under 16st. live weight.—1st prize, Mr. George Clarke, Knockane; 2nd, Mr. Jeremiah Corcoran; 3rd, Mrs. Mounsey, Riverlawn.

Goats.—Best Milking Goat—1st prize, Mr. R. Morgan, Birr road, Nenagh; 2nd, Mr. John Foley, Knigh; 3rd, Mr. R. Morgan.

DRIVING CLASSES.

Best Gelding or Mare, 15 hands and over, driven in harness.—1st prize, Thomas Clohessy, The College Ennis—Siki; 2nd, John Hayes, Killenaule, Birr—Dobbin.

Best Pony, driven in harness, over 13 and under 15 hands.—1st, Mrs. J. J. Elder, Kellystown, Ballinasloe—War Flour; 2nd, John Slattery, Ballyanny, Nenagh—Irish Molly; 3rd, Miss B. Burriss, Moneygall—The Rival.

Best Pony, driven in harness, 13 hands and under.—1st, J. F. Ryan, Nenagh—Welcome Lass; 2nd, Mrs. B. Kinsella, Nenagh—Fannie; 3rd, Miss G. Kavanagh, Birr.

JUMPING.

Open.—Best Horse over the course, catch weights, 15 hands and over—1st, Lady Helen McCalmont, Kilkenny—The Judge; 2nd, Captain W. Finch, Nenagh—Cracky; 3rd, J. J. O'Meara, Nenagh—Kingfisher.

Open—Best Horse over the course, catch weights, under 15 hands—1st, Patrick McDonnell, Nenagh; 2nd, Miss M. B. Hodgins, Nenagh; 3rd, Mrs. G. Whitfield, Birr—Miss Eyre.

Best Horse over the course, confined to horses the property of residents in North Tipperary—1st, Miss J. McGrath, Nenagh—Little Rover; Mrs. Whitfield—Miss Eyre; Miss M. E. Dagg, Latteragh—Grey Don.

THE DOG SHOW.

The dog show, held under the licence of the Irish Kennel Club, suffered somewhat through the showery weather, but despite the interruptions the judges accomplished a hard day's work in a most satisfactory manner. The rings were spacious, and there was plenty of room for the dogs to show to full advantage without, as in most terrier classes at the majority of shows, getting into contact with one another. These rings were a decided improvement, but in some respects the arrangements left a great deal to be desired.

The following acted as judges:—Major Gunn (Bulldogs, Cairns, Fox Terriers, Greyhounds, Irish Red Setters, Pointers and Retrievers), Mr. J. Holland (Airedales, Collies, Cocker Spaniels and Pekingese), Mr. J. Jackson (Irish Red Terriers and Sealyhams), Mr. Corbett (Irish Blue Terriers).

SUMMARY OF AWARDS.

Irish Red Terriers were fairly good. Mr. J. J. McCormack, Roscrea, took the first three prizes in Puppy Dog with Culprit, Skipper and Hustler. Miss J. Short, Dublin, was, however, principal winner, being first in Novice, Graduate, Limit and Open Dog with Bloomfield Star. Puppy Bitch went to Mr. Kenny's Mespil Doreen, Novice to Mr. Hazlett's Botanic Trix, while the remaining classes, Graduate, Limit and Open were appropriated by the Hon. Lady de Courcy Wheeler's Annesboro' Ariadne. Collies were only moderate. Mr. R. Crawford's Ballynameta Bubbles was first in Graduate and Open Dog or Bitch, and Mr. M. Grace's Beauty topped the Local Class, while Mr. J. Plunkett's Baggot Queen was the best of the Puppies.

The quality of Airedales was strong. Dr. C. Drennan's Prior's Tom won the Puppy Class. Judicious Sceptic, owned by Mr. R. Butler, was placed first in Novice and Graduate. The Limit Class went to Mr. J. J. Malone's Marchioness of Annamore, while the Open Class and Green Star (4 points) was won by Mr. A. J. Connolly's Clunagh Go By. Both classes in Bulldogs, the Graduate and Open Dog or Bitch, were won by Mrs. J. Forde's Tramore Colleen.

Cairns were also small, Miss H. Patten winning the Novice Dog or Bitch with Tabitha of Muskerry and the Open with Phœbe of Muskerry. Mr. W. J. Lindsey was the chief winner in Cockers, his Parkmore Bluette being first in Novice Dog or Bitch, while his Parkmore Raven won both the Limit and Junior Classes. Mr. F. S. Browne's Sweet Sally won the Graduate Class and Mr. E. Lindsey the Open and Green Star with Rosemount Gem, the Brace going to Mr. W. J. Lindsey. Miss Cuniam's Cowper Chum won the Puppy Class. Fox Terriers drew a good entry. Mr. J. O'Hara's Scanlan of Mountain View won both Puppy and Maiden Dog or Bitch, the same owner's Trixie Again of Mountain View winning the Novice Bitch Class. Mr. H. Allen was the most consistent winner, being first in Graduate, Limit and Open Dog, with Drumcullen Reminder, and first in Graduate, Limit and Open Bitch with Drumcullen Undecided. Mr. J. Smyth's Keighley's Pride took first prize in both the Novice and Graduate Classes in Smooths, the Limit and Open being annexed by Mr. A. H. Oliphant's Tara Revue.

Greyhounds were exceptionally good, the competition being keen in the Open Classes. First place in Dogs went to Mr. P. J. Sammon's Dr. Frank, and in Bitches to Mr. M. Hayes' Homeless. There was only one entry in Junior Dogs, Mr. M. O'Connell's Champagne Jim being awarded the prize. Mr. J. McLoughney's bitch winning the Junior Bitch Class.

Kerry Blues were excellent, both in quantity and quality. Puppy Dog and Open Bitch were annexed by Bushmount Madcap and Rags of Bushmount respectively, both owned by Dr. G. P. Pierce. Mr. W. Collins's Quaker Boy was successful in Maiden Dog. Mr. P. Healy's Dan Magrew in Novice Dog, Mr. Hayes's Leinster Leader in Graduate Dog, and Mr. P. D. McCreary's Tarzan's Chip in both Limit and Open Dog. Puppy Bitch was topped by Mr. V. P. McMullen's Rebellious Betty, and Maiden Bitch by Mr. M. O'Connell's Loughton's Fancy. Mr. J. J. Madden's Roscrea Lass was first in both Novice Bitch and Local Dog or Bitch, while Graduate and Limit Bitch went to Colonel J. McLoughlin's Galway's Pride.

Irish Red Setters were also much in evidence. Mr. G. Bennett's Tomasin won the Puppy Class, while his Maire ni Grugach won the Graduate Bitch. Novice Dog was won by Sergeant G. McGuinness's Fogra, while the Graduate, Limit and Open Classes went to Mr. J. W. Heaslip's Muckross Chief. Novice Bitch was won by Mr. A. W. O'Connor's Sheevra, Limit, Open and Local Bitches going to Mr. Marshall with Irish Venus, the same owner winning the Brace.

Miss K. E. Morgan's Nik of Alderbourne won the Open Dog or Bitch and Green Star in Pekingese, the Puppy Graduate and Limit Dog or Bitch going to Mrs. M. J. Forde with Tramore, Tramore Tien Wing and Tramore Tsan Pam respectively. Mr. W. A. Robinson's Nellie of Summer Grove won both Novice and Open Dog or bitch, the same owner also appropriating the Brace in Pointers, while Mr. A. E. Moeran's Portumna Countess was first in the Open Dog or Bitch for Retrievers.

Mr. C. Q. Godfree was the most successful exhibitor in Sealyhams, winning the Novice, Graduate and Limit Dog with Barney of Kellistown, the Open Dog with Carnew Beefeater, and also the Brace. Miss R. Phelan's Seventh Queen won the Novice Bitch Class; Graduate, Limit and Open going to Mr. F. Fitzpatrick's Radnock Roulette.

SPECIALS.

AIREDALES.—The Limerick Cup, presented by Mr. M. J. Russell, for best dog in Show, open to all Ireland, was won by Mr. A. J. Connolly's Clunagh Go By. The Corbally Cup, presented by Mrs. Russell for best bitch in the Show, open to all Ireland, was won by Mr. Malone's Marchioness of Annamore.

CAIRNS.—The Irish Cairn Terrier Club Cup, for the dog or bitch, the property of a member of the club, that has the greatest aggregate of wins in the Open Classes at Shows during the year, was won by Miss H. Patten's Phœbe of Muskerry.

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THE massive Rock of Cashel, in the southern half of Tipperary, has given Ireland a proverb as well as a tradition. The rock is crowned by a group of buildings of great architectural and historical interest. Generally speaking the buildings date from the early twelfth century, the Round Tower being much earlier and the Cathedral later. Cormac's Chapel, built by the saintly King of Munster, was consecrated in 1134. It is in the Norman style comprising nave, chancel, and towers. The pointed windows, choir, transepts, and tower are very beautiful.

The famed Cross of Cashel, with a sculptured effigy of St. Patrick, will be seen in the burial ground outside. The Cathedral was once burned by the Earl of Kildare, and again during the Civil War was the scene of a terrible tragedy when Lord Inchequin, known locally as "Morrough of the Burnings" cruelly slew a number of women and children who had sought sanctuary there.

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SEQUEL TO CASHING OF A CHEQUE.

TRAVELLER CHARGED WITH FALSE PRETENCES.

Mr. William Nix, a Dublin commercial traveller, was charged before District Justice Kenny, at Roscommon, with, as alleged, obtaining £30 under false pretences.

The Justice adjourned the case for a month, the accused man, in the meantime, to refund the amount of the deficit, with £5 State expenses.

Mr. H. J. Oldham, chief accountant in Messrs. T. and C. Martin, timber merchants, North Wall, Dublin, which firm the accused man represented, said that the firm would not insist on their expenses, £2 10s.

Inspector Ward said that the accused man made the following statement:—"I was away for the week-end, and signed the firm's name to the cheque. I often did that before, and how this cheque came back I don't know."

Superintendent O'Gara explained that the firm was communicated with, and replied that Mr. Nix had no authority to cash cheques made payable to them.

The Justice said that it was an unfortunate case.

At the request of Mr. McSherry, Superintendent O'Gara reduced the amount to £10, so as to bring the case within the Court's jurisdiction.

Mr. McSherry said that the money would be paid, and the Justice gave his decision as stated.

PRAGUE INTERNATIONAL FAIR.

The Prague International Fair will be held from August 29th to September 5th. Great Britain, Germany, Austria, Hungary, Switzerland, Cyprus and other countries will be represented by individual exhibits, and the total number of exhibitors will be about 2,500. French firms at the last samples fair secured, according to a statement by the French Department of Overseas Trade, orders to a value of over 2,000,000 francs.

Brazil, which for the first time may be seen at any European fair, will make a comprehensive show of all its products, organised by the Federal Ministry of ommerce, Industry and Agriculture. A special mission, composed of officials and business men, is *en route* for Prague in order to investigate export possibilities for Brazilian goods in Central Europe and to confer with Czecho-Slovak authorities and business organisations.

Included in the Fair will be some special exhibitions—viz., Radio Fair, Shoe Industry Show, Ideal Home Exhibition, Sports Goods Fair, Mining Exhibition and Furniture Fair.

Visitors to the Fair are granted advantages as usual—33 per cent. reduction on Czecho-Slovak railways, suspension of *visas*, lodging bureau and interpreters. Many visitors to Leipzig Fair, which is held coincidentally, are expected to extend their trip to Prague.

A verdict of "suicide while temporarily insane" was returned yesterday at the inquest on George Seddon (15), a pit boy, who was found hanged with a black necktie, fastened round a brass clothes rail over the fireplace, at his home at Ashton-in-Makerfield, Wigan. The boy's father said that he thought the coal dispute had upset his son, who had worked in a colliery since leaving school at the age of 14.

CYCLIST KILLED NEAR LURGAN.

The bicycle skidding when she turned a sharp curve in the road near her home at Turmoyra, near Lurgan, on Tuesday evening, a young woman named Jennie Kane was thrown heavily, and sustained injuries to her spine and back, from which she died during the night. An inquest was not considered necessary.

ROYAL HOSPITAL FOR INCURABLES.

A meeting of the Board of Governors of the Royal Hospital for Incurables was held at the hospital on Tuesday, 17th inst., at 9.30 o'clock, William Perrin, Esq. (Chairman), presiding. 194 Governors were present at this meeting.

The poceedings of the last meeting of the Board were read, confirmed, and signed. Apologies were received from a number of Governors unable to be present.

Miss O'Brien, Miss L. Bradshaw, Wm. Montgomery, Esq., and P. J. Brady, Esq., having kindly consented to act, were appointed Visiting Governors for the month.

Payments gratefully acknowledged and 5 new Life Governors were unanimously elected as such, viz.:—D. Conway, Esq. Qualifying as Life Governors:—Michael Christie, Esq., and P. J. Dardis, Esq., £52 (per James Gorevan, Esq.); Miss A. F. Morton, £21; Miss Helen M. Odlum, £21 (per Mrs. Dudley Westropp); Mrs. John P. Butler, £21 (per Chairman).

The Chairman made special allusion to the heavy

BANK DEBT OF £7,825 1/11,

and he earnestly appealed for further financial help to aid in reducing this growing liability, and pointed out that the opening of three extra beds at this election would increase the expenditure considerably. £21 qualifies the kind donor as a Life Governor, who, as such, have complete control of the management of the Institution. The hospital, which is capable of accommodating 249 patients (if funds were forthcoming to maintain this large number of beds), has claims on all classes of the community, as it admits poor incurable, and necessitous patients, without religious distinction, from all parts of Ireland, and supplies them with food, lodging, clothing, medical and surgical assistance, medicines, and all manner of necessaries, without fee or reward from the sufferer. It costs the hospital at present about £500 per annum for bank interest on overdraft. If the debt were cleared this sum of money would be available for the wants of the suffering inmates.

The election of patients was then proceeded with. Sixteen names appeared on the printed list, and 13 candidates were in attendance. The three absentees were medically certified by Dr. Preston Ball as unable to be present. The following having obtained the highest number of votes, were declared duly elected patients, four for immediate admission, and two to remain out on a weekly allowance from the funds pending further vacancies in the wards:—James Griffin, paralysis of the legs; Patrick Caulfield, chronic rheumatic arthritis; Joseph Ward, consumption; William P. O'Callaghan, consumption and heart disease; Michael Tyrrell, consumption; Christopher Hill, heart disease.

The Board adjourned to Tuesday, 21st September, 1926, when an election for female patients will take place.

The Board tender their grateful thanks for the following kind contributions received since last meeting:—£10—S. Strangman, Esq. £5 5/- each—Messrs. Tedcastle, McCormick and Co., Ltd.; Lord Ardee. £5 each—Mrs. Margaret M. Byrne, Miss Cecily Veronica Byrne. £2 2/—Messrs. John L. Scallan and Co., Ltd. £1 1/—E. Connolly, Esq., B.L.; Miss Eva M. O'Conor. £1 each—Mrs. R. E. Hafner, Miss B. MacNicol. 10/—Mrs. Thomas Stanford. Smaller sums, 10/-.

Further contributions are urgently needed, and earnestly solicited, to reduce the hospital's heavy indebtedness to their bankers (£7,825 1/11), and will be gratefully received by:—William Perrin, Esq. (Chairman), 27 Palmerston Gardens, Dublin; Sir Walter H. Boyd, Bart., K.C. (Vice-Chairman), 13 Upper Mount street; Alfred G. Hollinshead, Esq., J.P. (Hon. Treasurer), The Haven, Palmerston Gardens, Dublin, or by the Registrar at the hospital.

It is now stated that the salvage operations on the wreck of the liner Egypt will be resumed as soon as the weather permits.

ANTIQUE AND MODERN FURNITURE, PIANOS, &c. AUCTION TO-MORROW, AT 29 BACHELOR'S WALK.

COX'S AUCTION ROOMS.

Among the principal items are:—Set of 13 Chippendale Chairs (11 and 2 Carvers), richly carved, on claw and ball legs; lofty Glass-back Sideboards and Cabinets, 10 assorted Overmantel Glasses, in Chippendale Mahogany, Walnut and White Enamelled frames; 2 Parlour Suites, in Red Velvet; 4 Sets of Mahogany-framed Spoonback Dining Chairs, 1 Set of 8 Chippendale do., leather seats; 8 Oval, Square and Round-ended Mahogany and Oak Screw Dining Tables; Antique Sheraton Bookcase, 5 Mahogany do., in sizes from 4ft. to 6ft.; Dinner Gongs, Dumb Waiters, French Clock, perfect order; Cane Settee and 2 Arm Chairs, lofty Gilt-framed Shop Mirrors, 5ft. Queen Anne design Mahogany Sideboard, 3 Mahogany Falling-leaf leaf Tables, Hall Stand and Hall Chairs, Piano Stools and Seats, 10 Oval and Round Mahogany Tables, on pillar and claw; Hair-stuffed Chesterfield Sets, pair Arm Chairs, in blue velvet; French China Cabinets, Chippendale Mahogany and Walnut do.; Brass Fenders and Fire Brasses, Pictures and Paintings, Decorative and other China, pair Bronze Figures, Coal Boxes; Bedroom Furnishing in variety—2 Mahogany Glass-door Wardrobes, Duchesse Pairs, 6ft. Sheraton Bedroom Suite, 5ft. Reflex Walnut do.; Gent.'s 6ft. Wardrobe, fitted with drawers, sliding trays and hanging compartment; 3ft. Satin Walnut Glass-door Wardrobe, 4ft. Dark Walnut do. and Cheval Dressing Chest, Walnut Shaving Combination, 4ft. Mahogany Wardrobe, Stained Wood Wardrobes, Presses, Dressing Tables, Washstands and Toilet Glasses; about 14 Double and Single All-Brass and Black and Brass Beds, 4-ply Galvanised Wires and Pure Curled Hair Mattresses, including a pair of 3ft. Mahogany Twin Beds, complete; Kitchen and Deal Furniture in variety, Dressers, Tables, Chairs, Cooking Utensils, Linoleum and about one dozen Indian, Persian and Axminster Carpets; also a superior Iron-framed brilliant-toned Cottage Piano and 13-stop Organ, with double knee swells. Goods on View. Auction commences at 12.30. Pianos sold 3 o'clock.

JOHN H. COX, F.A.I., AUCTIONEER & VALUER.

ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE. MATTHEW JENKINS, DECD.

WEDNESDAY, 1ST SEPTEMBER, AT ONE O'CLOCK.

IMPORTANT TO HORSE AND CATTLE DEALERS, DAIRYMEN, INVESTORS AND OTHERS.

5A, 5B, 5D, 5E, 6, 6A, 8 & 8A UPPER BASIN STREET, JAMES'S STREET, DUBLIN.

(IN TWO LOTS, AND WITH PART POSSESSION OF LOT 1).

LOT 1—8 & 8A UPPER BASIN STREET. No. 8a is a two-storey dwellinghouse, containing five apartments, together with yard, having gate entrance. There is a large range of out-buildings in the yard, comprising stabling, cattle sheds, storage, with hay loft overhead, piggeries, &c. CLEAR POSSESSION OF THIS PORTION OF LOT 1 WILL BE GIVEN THE PURCHASER. No. 8 is a Two-storey Tenement House, with six apartments, and let to three weekly tenants, aggregating 11s. 6d. weekly, or £29 18s. 0d. yearly. The Poor Law Valuation of this lot is £27.

These Houses are held under lease with other premises for 400 years from 1889, subject to £36 per annum, and will be Sold subject to £10 per annum, and indemnified against the remainder of the rent by the residue of the premises demised by the said sub-lease.

LOT 2—Nos. 5a, 5b, 5d, 5e, 6 & 6a UPPER BASIN STREET comprise one and two-storey Cottage Houses. They are let to five tenants at rents amounting to £1 6s. 6d. per week, or per annum for the lot, £68 18s. 0d. These rents have never been increased, and are much below value. Poor Law Valuation, £28.

This Lot is held under the same lease as Lot 1, and will be Sold subject to £8 of the said rent, and indemnified against balance thereof.

The Property is situated in a very good letting locality, close to extensive employment.

Conditions of Sale from BROWN & McCANN, Solicitors for the Administrator, 23 Anglesea Street
J. H. WALSH & CO., Solicitors, 1 Lower Ormond Quay.

Further particulars, &c., from

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AUTUMN SHEEP SALES.

NEXT AUCTION,
WEDNESDAY NEXT, AUG. 25th.
Early entries respectfully requested.

GANLY, SONS & CO.,

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NEXT AUCTION,
WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 15th.
Sheets lent to consignors on application.

GANLY, SONS & CO.,

HAY. HAY.

WE are instructed by Mrs. Coakley to SELL BY AUCTION, on the Lands, at Firhouse (one mile from Templeogue), on FRIDAY, AUGUS 20th, at 12 o'clock,

70 LARGE FIELD COCKS
of Prime Upland Hay in suitable Lots.

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Auctioneer and Valuer,
ASHBOURNE.

FIRST BROOD EWE, STORE SHEEP, LAMB & RAM SALE,

SATURDAY NEXT, AUGUST 21st, 1926.
Commencing at 2 o'clock (summer time).

1,200 HEAD.

Amongst the entries received are 200 Cheviot Ewes, two and three years old, direct from the hills last season; 15 Pure-bred Suffolk Ewes and Rams; 30 Pure-bred Shrop. Ewe and Ram Lambs; 5 Pure-bred Shrop. Rams, etc.

ASHBOURNE AUTUMN CATTLE SHOW AND SALE,

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 15th, 1926.
Full particulars later.

C. J. RUSSELL, M.I.A.A.,
Auctioneer and Valuer,
ASHBOURNE.

SHEEP, SHEEP, SHEEP.

11th ANNUAL SHEEP SALE AT BLESSINGTON
ON MONDAY, AUGUST 23rd.
At 11 o'Clock.
FURTHER ENTRIES INVITED.

S. R. BOOTHMAN,
Auctioneer,
IVY LODGE, BLESSINGTON.

MARYBOROUGH SHEEP SALES.

SATURDAY, 21st AUGUST, 1926.
FRIDAY, 3rd SEPTEMBER, 1926.
WEDNESDAY, 15th SEPTEMBER, 1926.
MONDAY, 27th SEPTEMBER, 1926.

GAZE & JESSOP, M.I.A.A.,
Auctioneers and Valuers,
MARYBOROUGH.

ANNUAL WEST WICKLOW SHEEP SALES.

HOLLYWOOD, August 30th.
DUNLAVIN, September 6th.
HOLLYWOOD, September 10th.

COGAN & BYRNE,
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KNOCKRUE HOUSE, HOLLYWOOD,
COUNTY WICKLOW.

SALE OF RESIDENTIAL HOLDING,

CONTAINING 61r. 1r. 34p.

WE have been directed by Mrs. Isabella Giltrap TO SELL BY PUBLIC AUCTION, on the Lands, at Knockrue House, on Monday, 23rd August, 1926, at 5 o'clock, Summer Time,

Her interest in part of the Lands of Mullacagh Upper and Conlan's Hill, situate in the Electoral Division of Hollywood, Barony of Talbotstown, Lower, and County of Wicklow, with dwelling and out-offices thereon, held from the I.L.C., subject to an annuity of £28 5s. 6d. Poor Law Valuation, £42.

The Dwelling, which consists of 9 apartments, two-storeyed in front, with basement at rear, is in beautiful order. The rooms are airy and bright, with good head-room. The view from the front or rear of house is exceptionally fine.

The out-offices, which are situated a short distance from the dwelling, are complete in every way, and include hay barn. A nicely laid-out garden adjoins the dwelling.

The Lands, which are all in grass, with the exception of about 6 acres under crops, are in a splendid state of cultivation, well divided and watered. There is a very large quantity of valuable timber growing on the property, including some very fine larch. There are extensive turbary rights attached to the holding.

This holding is situated in a most picturesque part of County Wicklow, at the foot of Church Mountain. It adjoins the public road, midway between Blessington and Baltinglass, 10 miles from Naas, 3 miles from Dunlavin, and 25 miles from Dublin.

Further particulars from
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THE above up-to-date Residence, with 11 acres of Land, will be offered FOR SALE BY PUBLIC AUCTION, in the News Room, Town Hall, Dundalk, on Monday, 23rd August, at 1 o'clock p.m. (if not previously disposed of privately).

The House stands just outside the urban boundary, and contains 3 sitting rooms, 6 bedrooms, usual kitchen appointments, modern sanitation, bathroom (h. and c.), etc. Extensive out-offices, garage, electric fittings, engine and dynamo, gardens, greenhouses, tennis court, etc. Annuity, £13 15/-. Poor Law Valuation, £31 15/-. Further particulars from

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TRAINED Infant's Nurse, 3 years' experience, disengaged early September, desires vacancy, Dublin or suburbs.—"K." c/o Post Office, Ballingarry, Co. Limerick. 17 F

TRAINED Infant's Nurse, long experience, disengaged early in September; good papers; baby preferred. Address "Z 4178, Nurse," this office. 17 D

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MARRIAGE.

STOREY and JOHNSTON—August 11, 1926, at St. Paul's Church, Portarlington, by the Rev. J. R. Goff, M.A., George, youngest son of the late Henry and Mrs. Storey, Dublin street, Monasterevan, to Jane Dodd, youngest daughter of the late Edward Johnston, Main street, Portarlington, and Mrs. Johnston, Corrig House, Portarlington.

DEATHS.

ANNOUNCEMENTS received late for insertion in this column will be found on Page 6.

BOYD—At Finod, Easkey, John, eldest son of the late James Boyd, Skreen, and nephew of the late Dr. Boyd, Dublin.

DOLAN—August 17, 1926, Peter, Kilternan, County Dublin, beloved and only son of the late Bryan Dolan. Deeply regretted by his sorrowing wife and a large circle of friends. Sacred Heart of Jesus, have mercy on his soul. R.I.P. Funeral at 4 o'clock to-day (Friday) to Glencullen Cemetery.

EARLE—August 18, 1926, at her residence, 115 Upper Leeson street, Dublin, Cecilia Earle, last surviving child of the late George Earle, of Ballynahoun, County Wexford. "Thy will be done." Funeral (private) to-day (Friday), by motor, arriving Kilnamagh, County Wexford, 2 p.m.

FARQUHARSON—August 18, 1926, at Baggot street Hospital, Thomas, 59 Whitworth road, youngest son of the late Robert Dewar Farquharson, Building Contractor, Jones's road, Dublin. Deeply regretted by his sorrowing wife and children. R.I.P. Funeral strictly private. No flowers.

FLANAGAN—August 19, 1926, Agnes Mary, beloved wife of J. J. Flanagan, of Kyle House, Drumcondra, also infant daughter. Funeral arrangements later.

FLYNN—August 18, 1926, at Dun Laoghaire, County Dublin, David Edgar Flynn, F.R.C.S.I., D.P.H., V.D., Lieutenant-Colonel (retired), late Medical Member H.M. Prisons Board and Chief Inspector of Reformatories and Industrial Schools. R.I.P. Funeral private. No flowers.

GARLAND—August 19, 1926, at his residence, 3 de Burgh terrace, Phœnix Park, Thomas Garland. Deeply regretted. Funeral to Glasnevin to-morrow (Saturday) morning, 21st inst., after 9 o'clock Mass, from Arran quay Chapel.

GODSELL—August 15, 1926, suddenly, at Dundrum, Tipperary, Margaret Mary Godsell. "Asleep in Jesus."

LLOYD—August 19, 1926, at Strokestown, Mary Hampton (Happy), beloved sister of John H. Lloyd.

McCULLAGH—August 18, 1926, at her residence, Selton, Mohill, County Leitrim, Jane, widow of the late George McCullagh, aged 75 years. "Peace, perfect peace."

MORGAN—August 19, 1926, at her residence, 126 North Circular road, Dublin, Susanna, widow of the late George J. Morgan. Funeral private.

PHELAN—August 18, 1926, at Northern Pacific Hospital, Tacoma, Washington, U.S.A., Thomas Scott, dearly-loved eldest son of the late Thomas and Elizabeth Phelan, Rathmines, Dublin. "Be of good comfort; rise, He calleth thee."

PIERCE—August 18, 1926, at Paris, John Pierce, of Park House, Wexford. Funeral (private), Paris.

ROE—August 19, 1926, suddenly, Hugh Roe, Ballybeta, Kilternan, Dublin, aged 86. Deeply regretted by his sorrowing family. R.I.P. Remains will be removed from Richmond Hospital at 5 p.m. to-day (Friday) to St. Patrick's Church, Glencullen. Interment at 4 o'clock to-morrow (Saturday).

WATERS—August 19, 1926, at Gowlan House, Killashee, Longford, Emily Margaret, only daughter of the late Moses Waters and Mrs. Waters. "To be with Christ, which is far better." Funeral to-morrow (Saturday) at 1 o'clock (summer time) to Ballymacormack Church Cemetery.

ACKNOWLEDGMENTS.

Mr. Thomas Houlihan and family, Fethard, County Tipperary, wish sincerely to thank all those who sent letters and telegrams in their recent bereavement, and trust that this acknowledgment will be accepted, as it would be impossible to reply to each individually.

Mr. Markey and family wish to thank the many friends who sent letters and telegrams of sympathy in their recent sad bereavement.

Mrs. Pakenham and family, Janeville, S.C. road, desire to express their grateful thanks to the many kind friends who tendered sincere sympathy in their recent sad bereavement, and trust they will accept this acknowledgment. They particularly desire to thank the proprietors and staff of the *Evening Mail* for their kindness and for the beautiful floral tributes sent.

MONTH'S MIND SOLEMN REQUIEM OFFICE.

FOLEY—The Month's Mind Solemn Requiem Office for the repose of the soul of the late Most Rev. P. Foley, D.D., Bishop of Kildare and Leighlin, will be held in the Cathedral, Carlow, on Wednesday, 25th inst., at 12 o'clock (summer time). R.I.P.

IN MEMORIAM.

BISHOP—To the memory of my beloved companion and parent. "Till we meet."—Ella.

DOWSE—In loving memory of Thomas Edward Dowse, Friarstown House, Carlow, who entered into rest August 20th, 1925. Peace, perfect peace."

GRIFFITH and COLLINS—In grateful and loving memory of President Arthur Griffith and General Michael Collins, deceased, August, 1922. The glory of their achievements shall never pass away. A special Mass for the repose of their souls will be celebrated in the Pro-Cathedral, Marlborough street, at 11 a.m., to-morrow (Saturday), 21st inst. Relatives and friends are requested to accept this notice as an invitation to attend.

JEPHSON—In fond and loving memory of Richard Pelham Jephson, of 18 Lansdowne road, Dublin, who entered into rest on August 20th, 1922.
To-day recalls sad memories
Of a loved one gone to rest;
And those who think of him to-day
Are those who loved him best.
Inserted by Ada and Gordon.

TURNER—In ever-loving memory of Henry Turner, died August 20th, 1926, at his residence, 62 Lower Mount street. "Thy will be done." Inserted by his loving wife.

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